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STANDARD OIL DONATED, BUT--

ROOSEVELT WOULD TAKE CONSERVATIVE VIEW OF TARIFF REVISION.

NO INJURY TO BUSINESS INTERESTS

So \$125,000 Was Contributed and Given to Cornelius Bliss, Says Archbold.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—Special to Telegraph.—That the Standard Oil company contributed one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars in the national campaign in 1900 on the assurance of Cornelius Bliss, republican treasurer at that time, that Roosevelt would take a conservative view of tariff revision and not attempt to injure business interests, was the assertion of John D. Archbold today before the senate committee, which is investigating the last two presidential campaigns.

BLAIR ADDRESSES COUNTY'S TEACHERS

TALKED FOR OVER AN HOUR ON PARENT, TEACHER AND CHILD.

OVER THREE HUNDRED PRESENT

County Institute Closed This Afternoon—Supt. Miller Pleased With Session.

Francis G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, this afternoon addressed the school teachers in institute assembled in the South Side high school, for over an hour, and gave all many good things about teaching. His speech differed from the usual institute address, but it was right to the point, dealing with parent, teacher and child. It dealt with the personality of the teacher and the child, and in substance was, "the teacher should get acquainted with the boy and girl he or she expects to teach."

Mr. Blair made an appeal for the teachers who have character, who taught because they loved to teach, and because they loved the child they taught. His speech certainly was the right kind of mental food for the teacher or prospective teacher, and those who heard his excellent and forceful address will have something to think about this winter when they gather their boys and girls about them for instruction.

Institute Closes.
The institute closed this afternoon and Superintendent L. W. Miller is highly pleased with the five days' work. The enrollment came up to his expectations.

MENDOTA COUNCIL VISITS DIXON

MAKES INVESTIGATION OF CEMENT COMPANY'S AIR COMPRESSOR—TO INSTALL WATER SYSTEM.

The members of the Mendota city council and Superintendent Price of the waterworks at that city, visited Dixon today and inspected the air compressor at the Sandusky-Portland cement plant, after which they went to Sterling to look over the waterworks there. The Mendota council is building a new waterworks system and the trip of inspection, which will take in many cities, is to determine the best kind of plant to install.

STATE FAIR OPENS.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 23.—The 58th annual Iowa state fair opened here today. An attendance of 300,000 was predicted.

DRAWN 30 FEET.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 23.—Rev. J. Villars, chaplain of the penitentiary, was struck down and dragged thirty feet by a runaway horse at New Lenox.

GANNON UNFOLDS CITY PARK PLAN

WOULD MAKE COLLEGE CAMPUS INTO BEAUTIFUL SOUTH SIDE PARK.

TO PRESENT MATTER TO COUNCIL

City May Be Able to Purchase Lots—Business Men Will Also Consider Proposition.

The Dixon college campus for a south side park. Such is the proposal of Commissioner M. J. Gannon, and the west end commissioner plans to take the matter up with his colleagues and push it through the city council if he can. In unfolding his scheme to a Telegraph man, Mr. Gannon said that he could think of no better site for a park on the south side of the river than the grounds at the college, part of which President Edwards has placed on sale, and he believes that the people will be with him on the proposition.

He called attention to the fact that the grounds are admirably located, and that it will require very little work to transform them into an ideal park. The construction of a few cement sidewalks and the addition of a number of seats, a couple of fountains and a few flower beds would complete the changes necessary.

May Be Able to Buy Lots.
Although some of the lots in the tract, which is of two square blocks, on College avenue between First and Third streets, have been sold as a result of Mr. Edwards' announcement some time ago that the lots would be sold to defray the indebtedness of the school, the west end commissioner is of the opinion that the purchasers will turn their holdings over to the city at cost, and that the beautiful park can be secured at a nominal expense to the city. He is now talking the proposition over with the business men and the question will be discussed at Monday evening's meeting of the council.

HAS BEAUTIFUL BED OF ASTORS

CHARLES SPIELMAN OF NORTH DIXON HAS UNUSUALLY FINE VARIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spielman, who reside at 605 East Chamberlain street, without doubt have the largest and most beautiful bed of asters in the city, or, in fact, in the county. It is about twenty-five feet by fifty feet in dimensions and contains almost every color and variety, also a number of rare plants. The flowers are unusually large, especially the chrysanthemum variety, which is exceptionally large and feathery.

HAD TONSILS REMOVED.

Clifford Whitebread, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitebread of Pontiac, had his tonsils removed at the Dixon hospital yesterday. He is getting along nicely at the home of his uncle, Mr. Whitebread, in this city.

Mrs. Frank Billmeyer of Ashton is visiting in Dixon.

HARMON LADY ADJUDGE INSANE

COMMISSION SENDS MISS MAZEL SUTTON TO ASYLUM—BLODGETT PRESIDES.

Miss Hazel Sutton of Harmon was found insane by a commission at the Dixon hospital last evening, and was taken to Watertown this afternoon. Judge Blodgett of the Whiteside county court presided at the hearing.

SON BORN.

Relatives of Mrs. Thomas Slatery of Rockford, formerly Miss Katherine Kelley of this city, yesterday received word of the birth of a 9-pound boy to her and her husband Sunday.

EMMERT FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Emmert will be held from the house at 10 o'clock and from the Dunkard church on the Franklin Grove road at 10:30.

BIG CIRCUS WILL SHOW HERE SEPT 20

WALLACE & HAGENBACK'S BIG SHOWS MAKE OVERTURES TO BUSINESS MAN.

CONTRACT FOR BILL BOARDS

George Olmstead of Sterling States That the Papers Are Signed.

If satisfactory arrangements for grounds can be made Wallace & Hagenback's monster circus will show in Dixon Friday, Sept. 20. News that the circus wished to come here was received yesterday in a letter from George Olmstead, who is in charge of the Illinois Billboard company in this district, addressed to Justus Schweinsberg.

Mr. Schweinsberg immediately took the matter up with J. H. Loftis and Charles Eastman and the three are now working to secure a suitable site for the big show. Several locations are being considered, the two most likely being the land occupied by the state troops last year, which is located near the Military academy, and the large tract of land on West Sixth street.

Contracts for Boards Signed.
Mr. Olmstead at his office in Sterling announced this morning that the big circus has closed a contract for the billboards in this section, and that there is little doubt the show will appear here Sept. 20.

It is understood that the management of the circus, which is reported to be fully as large as any in the world, wishes ground rent and license free. The committee in charge here is of the opinion that no trouble will be experienced in securing funds to meet these two items, and therefore it is reasonably certain the circus will be here on the date mentioned.

SANDERS FATHER DOES NOT COME

BUT MURDERER DOES NOT WORRY—SMOKES BLACK CIGARS AND IS CHEERFUL.

Contrary to expectations Cornelius Sanders, father of Warren Sanders, did not arrive last evening or today from his home in Fairfield, Pa., to confer with his son, and the prisoner has received no word indicating when he may arrive. However, the murderer does not appear worried because of this condition and confidently expects his father will come to his aid to save him from the gallows.

He smokes incessantly, big black cigars being consumed as fast as he can light them. He seems to have trained himself not to worry over his future, and declines to talk of his case. He received a letter from his homefolks today, but it was written before they learned of his horrible crime.

The state officials anticipate that Mr. Sanders will arrive in Dixon tonight or tomorrow.

OFFERS BIG PRICE FOR MARE

JUDGE CARTWRIGHT REFUSES \$4,500 FOR INJURED RACING ANIMAL.

Judge Cartwright has been offered \$4,500 for his famous pacing mare which was wounded at Monmouth last week, by a negro jockey who shot at her driver. Even if the mare survives the injury, it is likely she will never race again.

POULTRY MEN MEET.

There will be an important meeting of the Dixon Poultry association at the Youngman coal office this evening.

Dr. Ross Carny, mother and sister returned this morning from Freeport where they have been visiting.

States Attorney J. J. Ludens from Whiteside county, was a visitor in Dixon today in conference with States Attorney Edwards.



MRS. WARREN SANDERS AND DAUGHTER, NAOMI.

Wife, who with her mother, Mrs. George Griffith, was murdered early Sunday morning at the Northwestern depot in Ashton by Warren Sanders, who has confessed to the double crime and who is now incarcerated in the Lee county jail. The seven year old daughter, over whose custody the trouble arose Sunday morning, according to Sanders' claim, is now at the Griffith home. The little one was a witness to Sanders shooting her grandmother, but was hurried away from the scene by Matilda Weiser before the murderer turned his gun on her mother.

RINGLINGS LOSE THOUSANDS BY FIRE

MAIN TENT AND SCENERY WAS A TOTAL LOSS—REFUND MONEY.

Sterling, Aug. 23.—Special to Telegraph.—Ringling Brothers' loss by fire at Sterling yesterday is estimated as follows:

Main tent (total loss) \$10,000 to \$15,000.
Apparatus (partial loss) \$15,000 to \$25,000.
Scenery (total loss) \$5,000.
Gate receipts, \$10,000 to \$25,000.

A telegram was sent to headquarters of the Ringlings' circus at Baraboo, Wis., and also to Chicago and the auxiliary big top which is carried at headquarters for emergencies was sent to Kewanee by special train.

All entrance money was refunded here yesterday.

BOTT TAKE BATH IN GERMANY

FORMER DIXON MAN SWIMS IN THE WATERS OF OLD COUNTRY.

Sterling, Aug. 23.—Henry Bott in writing from Spandau, Germany, declares that he spent the 10th of August taking a bath in the famous baths at that place. Henry says that he is having a grand time and is ranging plans to continue his tour. He says that on August 10th the weather was very cool.

HINTZ PROPERTY SOLD.

W. J. Hintz yesterday sold to Harry A. Hoffman his house and lot on Highland avenue, for a consideration of \$3,200. A 5-passenger 1913 Maxwell automobile figured in the transaction.

Miss Aldrich, who has been making an extended visit with Mrs. Theron Cumins, has returned to Chicago.

FALLING HAND-AX INJURES WORKMAN

FRED MILLER, MEMBER OF C. & N. W. SIGNAL CREW, MET WITH ACCIDENT.

Fred Miller of Lombard, an employee of the Northwestern signal crew, had a narrow escape from serious injury late yesterday afternoon when he was struck on the top of the head by a falling hand axe. Miller had left the axe sticking in the top of a pole and had started to climb the pole to get it when it jarred loose and fell. The sharpened edge struck him on top of the head, inflicting a bad scalp wound and severing two arteries.

Dr. A. F. Moore, the company physician, was summoned and it was at first feared the young man had suffered a fractured skull. Examination showed, however, that the blow had been a glancing one, the scalp wound being the only injury. Several stitches were necessary to close up the gash.

CIRCUS MAN VISITS DIXON

THE ARMLESS MAN FROM RINGLING'S CIRCUS DINES WITH JAMES H. BOYER.

Charles B. Tripp, the armless man, and friend, Joe Leffer, the white-haired man from Ringling's circus, ate supper and spent the evening at the James H. Boyer home in this city.

VISIT OREGON FAIR.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Baker and family and Herbert Warner and Miss Gladys Redfern of Grand Detour attended the Oregon Fair on Thursday.

IMPROVES THEATRE.

Manager James Michelstetter of the Family theatre, has had the big awning and entrance to the popular place of amusement repainted, in preparation for the resuming of vaudeville there.

MAYOR BRINTON MAKES PROMISE GOOD

DECLARED WHEN ELECTED EXECUTIVE OF CITY HE WOULD IMPROVE RAILROAD PROPERTY.

CENTRAL BUYS TRACT OF LAND

Near South Side Depot and Will Improve Same—Make Park and Roadway.

Mayor W. B. Brinton this morning received a letter from the vice president of the Illinois Central Railroad company, which bears good news for the citizens of Dixon, inasmuch as it forecasts some needed and extensive improvements at the south side depot of that company.

The company announces that it will purchase the strip of land east of the station at the price stated in an option secured some time ago, that the big fill will be extended there and that flower beds and a pretty park will be provided. Brick walks to the station and a hard roadway are also contemplated by the company.

OLD RESIDENT ANSWERS SUMMONS

JOS. HUIPSCH OF WEST BROOKLYN DIED EARLY THIS MORNING.

West Brooklyn, Aug. 23.—Special to Telegraph.—Joseph Huipsch, aged 87 years, died this morning at the home of his son near this place. His death was due to old age. He had been ill about three weeks. His wife, some years older than the deceased, and six children, two daughters and four sons, survive him.

Funeral arrangements will be made later.

ENGINEER PENNINGTON RESIGNS

TAYLORVILLE MAN MAKES TRIP OF INSPECTION OVER WORK AND QUILTS JOB.

The Inlet Swamp drainage commissioners have met with another setback in the form of the resignation of Engineer C. A. Pennington of Taylorville, who had been engaged to fill the vacancy of J. M. Egan of Amboy. Mr. Pennington's resignation, which was received yesterday, gave no reason for his act, and following a trip of inspection over the work. The board will meet this evening to consider other applicants for the position.

FORMER DIXON LADY DIES

MRS. HELEN G. VAN NESS OF COUNCIL BLUFFS ANSWERS SUMMONS IN JUNE.

Mrs. Helen G. VanNess, nee Helen Fletcher, formerly of Dixon, died on June 23rd at her home in Council Bluffs. Deceased was the wife of the late Dr. VanNess and a sister of George Fletcher. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. T. A. Mitchell, and a son, Henry VanNess.

Mrs. VanNess was born in 1855. When preparing to come to Dixon to visit Miss Barth, in March, Mrs. VanNess was stricken with paralysis. Her husband died in February.

"ACROSS THE WAY."

Tomorrow evening, as its music supplement, the Telegraph will publish Albert Francell's great ballad, "Across the Way." This song is especially tuneful and will be enjoyed by all lovers of that class of music.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Robert G. Moore of Chicago, former pastor of the church, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Everybody come and bring your friends. Very helpful sermons guaranteed.

Miss Gladys Steel has returned from a visit in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schlessing of Mendota were visitors in this city last evening.

PROMINENT MEN TO ATTEND BARBECUE

CONGRESSMAN M'KENZIE AND ANDREW RUSSELL OF JACKSONVILLE COMING.

ADVANCE TICKET SALE IS LARGE

Event Will Be Held Rain or Shine—Attractions Are Vaudeville and Music.

A meeting of the chairmen of the various committees in charge of the Elks' New England barbecue and chicken fry was held last evening and as a result of the reports made, the success of the affair is assured, for the different chairmen reported that every detail has been attended to and that everything is in readiness for the big event.

The reports show that the advance sale of tickets is very large and that the requests for tickets from out of town parties continue to pour in. It is estimated that the crowd will be in the neighborhood of \$2,000, which will be considerably larger than the attendance at the clam bake last Labor day.

Rain or Shine.

The big event will take place as advertised, rain or shine, for a number of very large tents have been secured in event of rain, and threatening weather need keep no one away. The dock privileges have been awarded to R. H. Espy, who will have complete charge of the transportation to and from the island. Boats will leave the north and south side docks every five minutes during the day, starting at 9 o'clock a. m., the round trip fare being 10 cents.

Preparing Site.

At present Mr. Espy and force of men are at work on the island getting everything in shape for the affair. The spot is ideal for an event of this kind, and when Mr. Espy has arranged things, everything will be convenient and satisfactory.

The barbecue is for Elks and their friends, and those desiring to attend should secure a ticket from some Elk friend, as no one will be admitted unless vouchered for by an Elk. Attractions for the Day.

There will not be a dull moment during the entire day. Two wrestling bouts have been provided for and there will also be two corking vaudeville acts. The Marquette orchestra will furnish music during the entire day, the menu is the most elaborate ever attempted at an affair of this kind. When the visitors tire of feasting they can exercise on the "African Dip," thereby creating an appetite for more "eats."

Canoe Club to Attend.

An addition feature will be the attendance of the A. C. A. club, western division, whose headquarters are in Chicago. Eighty members of the club will be at Rockford and they will be met at Rockford by Messrs. Bert Davis and Bert Spiller and escorted to the barbecue.

Politicians in Force.

And there is no doubt the politicians will be out in force. Already Mr. Miller has received assurances from Congressman John C. McKenzie that he will be present, and Andrew Russell of Jacksonville, republican candidate for state treasurer, has also signified his intention of attending.

WARD MILLER VISITS FAMILY

BELIEVES CHANCE'S MEN WILL PASS GIANIS AND WIN PENNANT.

Ward Miller, utility outfielder of the fast going Chicago Cubs, who are right now giving the New York Giants the race of their lives for the National league pennant, is here to spend the day with his family, the Cubs having a day off.

Ward expresses the greatest confidence that Chance's men will finally overtake and pass the Giants and will be returned winners in October.

◆◆◆◆◆ Illinois: Fair Friday and ◆◆◆◆◆ Saturday; moderate to north- ◆◆◆◆◆ west winds. ◆◆◆◆◆ Sunrise, 5:05; sunset, 6:51; ◆◆◆◆◆ moonset, 12:36. ◆◆◆◆◆

Social Happenings

AUGUST 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

Are dominating, persistent, determined to have your way; not always sincere. If not a scholar, you have a forceful, deep, ingenious way of carrying conviction with you. Can stand some flattery; have much executive ability, and the faculty of looking out for yourself. Are determined and industriously work to gain your ends. Fond of travel, and a great lover of music.

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

May have a fiery temper, but it is soon over. Can be led, but not driven. Strong psychic power; energetic, aspiring, have no use for mediocrity. Demonstrative in affection, home loving, social, devoted to family, sometimes pessimistic. Very popular, particularly with those near you socially. Faithful to those you love; you are fond of travel and moving about.

Visiting Rosbrook Home.

Mrs. Frank Hales and daughter, Margaret, of Swaledale, Ia., the former home of Tryon Rosbrook, and family, are visiting them at Seldom inn.

Spent Day in Sterling.

Mrs. Lou Edwards and children and Mrs. McCleary spent yesterday at the Kennedy home in Sterling.

Motored to Dixon.

Mrs. P. J. Fitzpatrick and daughters, Josie and Bertha, of LaSalle and Mrs. P. D. Fitzpatrick and daughter, Catherine, motored to this city from LaSalle yesterday in the P. D. Fitzpatrick car. Mrs. Fitzpatrick and daughter, Catherine, will be guests for a week at the P. D. Fitzpatrick home in Marion.

From Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brewster and family of Dixon came to this city on Thursday and spent the day with friends and relatives.—Sterling Gazette.

On Rock River

Mrs. Sadie Bowers and daughter, Mrs. Pierson, have gone to Beloit for a week's camp on Rock river.

To Visit in Oregon.

Miss Lydia Hiestand went to Oregon yesterday, where she will visit for some time with Miss Bertha Gale.

On Vacation.

Mrs. Nellie Fuestman is spending her vacation with relatives in Streator, Ill.

Spent Day in Sterling.

Misses Eva and Lucy Bates and Messrs. Frank Fordham and LaVerne Messer motored to Sterling yesterday in the Fordham car.

Camp a Grand Detour.

Joseph Elehler, Walter Polstrom and Harold Espy left yesterday for a week's camping trip near Grand Detour in the Espy houseboat.

At Risner Home.

Mrs. Albert Glessner and Mrs. Ed. Lambert spent yesterday at the Risner home on the Franklin Grove road.

Spent Day in Sterling.

Mrs. Jason Duis and Mrs. Will Shank spent yesterday in Sterling at the Galt House, the guests of Mrs. Fred Duis.

Entertain With Tea.

Mrs. Antoine Julien will entertain friends with tea Saturday in honor of the Misses Carpenter.

Motored to Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Joan Rutt and family of Prairieville motored to this city Thursday and spent the day.—Sterling Gazette.

Entertains for Guest.

Mrs. Ward Hall is entertaining a few friends this afternoon for her guest, Miss Bertha Hanes, of Oregon.

FAREWELL PARTY.

The farewell party given at the O. M. P. club last evening for George Blass and family, who will move to Mendota soon, was attended by about sixty of his friends and was a very happy affair. Refreshments were served during the evening and the time was spent in dancing.

For Miss Norton.

Mrs. E. N. Howell will entertain a few friends tomorrow from 3 to 5 o'clock, in honor of her cousin, Miss Norton.

Returned Home.

Miss Ethel Cortright who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Trowbridge, on East Second street, returned to her home in Lillian, Ala., Thursday morning. Miss Cortright is art and manual training instructor at the Normal college at Bathne, Ala.

At Dinner.

Mrs. Louise P. Steel entertained a few guests at dinner last evening.

Dixon Guest.

Chester Higgins of Yonkers, N. Y., is a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook. Arthur Higgins, who expected to accompany his son to Dixon, was unable to do so, owing to the illness of his father, B. B. Higgins.

At Jordan Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donahue of Chicago are here for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Jordan.

Friday Evening Dance.

Dr. Ashley M. Hewitt will be at Grand Detour this evening to personally superintend the dance at Illinois hall, which supervision has added so much to the popularity of these events and is responsible for the large attendance from Dixon and all of the surrounding towns and country. Mrs. Will H. Smith will supply the music, which is an assurance of the completion of every feature for the success of the affair.

Visit in Sterling.

Mrs. John H. Byers and three daughters and Mrs. Earl Mercer and son spent today in Sterling at the John S. Weaver home.

Miscellaneous Shower.

The girls of the Home telephone office surprised Miss Estella Davis with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Music was the main feature of the evening. Dainty refreshments were served and the guests departed at a late hour, with expressions of a very happy evening.

Visiting in Nelson.

Mrs. Lee Boos and daughter, Miss Olive are visiting Mrs. Boos' mother, Mrs. Ernest Moore in Nelson for a few days. Sunday she leaves for her new home at Elkhart, Ind. Mrs. Walter Trautman will accompany her as far as Chicago, where she will spend the day with her son, Elmer.

Camping Party.

The following will make up a camping party for a two weeks' outing at the Harry White cottage: G. E. Boynton, Dr. Clevidence and the Misses Florence and Hazel Noble and Katherine Hauser. They leave on the trip tomorrow.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodyear entertained today Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Seaberg of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins and Mr. and Mrs. Will Scholl.

Entertained With Fish Fry.

Mrs. A. T. Manges and Miss Emma Beier entertained yesterday afternoon at the Manges home, the affair being a fish fry in honor of Mrs. Roy Cairns of Mansfield, O., who is a guest of Mrs. Manges. The following were present: Mesdames R. W. Thompson, Allen Buckaloo, J. P. Plummer, Adolph Elchler, Luther Newcomer, C. H. Stitley, Joseph McCleary, H. A. Ahrens, Carol Hall, Otto Beier, William Beier, Roy Cairns and E. B. Stiles and Miss Hazel Thompson.

Returned from Visit

Mrs. D. H. Law returned Thursday from an extended visit in California.

Visit in Sterling.

Grace Hackett of Racine, Wis., who has been visiting at the Talty home in Dixon, went to Sterling to be a guest at the David Talty home in that city.

At Colonial.

G. E. Boynton entertained a party of friends at the Colonial Thursday evening.

Guest Over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss will entertain Mrs. H. E. Finney for an over Sunday visit.

Dixon Guests.

Mrs. Wm. Sickels and daughters, Misses Catherine and Anna, arrived last evening for a week's visit with Mrs. E. C. Sickels.

Returned from Visit.

Mrs. J. W. Stevens returned from Chicago last evening after a 19 days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Julien Hart.

Saturday Night Dance.

The Saturday Night Dancing club will give the regular Saturday night dance at Rosbrook hall tonight. The Slothower orchestra will furnish the music.

Motored to Cedar Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rule, who have been visiting Dixon friends, returned to their home in Cedar Rapids today, making the trip in their auto.

Motored to Sterling

Misses Florence and Hattie Mulkins and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kenneth and Miss Hazel Kenneth motored to Sterling yesterday in the Kenneth car and were entertained with their friends.

OLD MARSHALL HOMESTEAD

House in North Manchester, Ind., Where Democratic Candidate for Vice-President Was Born.

North Manchester, Ind.—Though it has withstood the storms of more than sixty years, and two bouts with the house movers, the little house in which Thomas R. Marshall, governor of Indiana, and Democratic candidate for vice-president, was born, stands today well to the north end of Walnut street, in North Manchester, Indiana, in a better state of preservation than many houses of half its age and experience.

In 1854 the house stood on the lot fronting on Main street, that is now occupied by the Lawrence National bank, and was occupied by Dr. Daniel Marshall, who, besides doctoring the sick, was also a merchant of considerable importance, being connected



Birthplace of Thomas R. Marshall.

with his brothers in managing the biggest store of this locality at that time. As time went on they disposed of this store, and after the war broke out the doctor moved with his family to Pierceton, when the future governor was slightly over six years of age. Men who have grown gray remember Thomas Marshall as a boy, but he was too young when his folks left for him to build a new home to take the place. The building in which he was born was moved from its first location to give room to a business building, and was occupied for several years by John H. Shively, but when he wanted to build a new home to take the place of the old building, it passed into new hands, being sold to Bart Krisher, son of D. W. Krisher. He moved it to its present location, made a few repairs, put on some fresh paint and the house is as neat and attractive in looks today as many of the newer buildings around it.

New Wrinkle in Laundry.

San Bernardo, Cal.—When his laundry bill showed a charge for washing four greenbacks, George B. Rowan gasped in astonishment. He looked through his laundry and found a pile of carefully ironed and starched banknotes which had come home with his weekly wash. They amounted to \$50, which he remembered having failed to remove from his clothing before sending it to the laundry.

DETECTIVE BURNS POISONED.

Denver, Col., Aug. 23—Detective William J. Burns is suffering from ptomaine poisoning. But little credence is given to the rumor that he is the victim of a poison plot.

CHICAGO POLICEMAN HERE.

William E. Elmstad, member of the Chicago police force, is here with his family, visiting with friends and relatives.

Historic Blackguards

By Albert Payson Terhune

Cartouche, Chief of France's "Robber Trust"

A R I C H Frenchman, one day in 1720, chanced to meet a sad-faced, shrewdly dressed young stranger at a cafe. The stranger proved a jolly companion, and at length invited the rich man home to dine with him. The latter accepted. They came to a house the guest had never before visited. But the moment he entered the place something about it seemed oddly familiar to him.

It was not until they sat down to an elaborate meal that the visitor understood the cause of this feeling. The gold dishes on the table bore his own monogram! So did the table linen and the costly hangings of the room. A second amazed glance showed him that the furniture, too, was his. He started up in bewilderment.

"Sit down, I beg," urged the stranger. "I robbed your house today of everything of value and used the plunder to furnish this little home of mine. That is why I asked you to dine with me. It seemed only fair that you should have a chance to say farewell to your treasures."

The guest whipped out his sword and rushed in fury at his host. The stranger made no effort to defend himself. Leaning lazily back in his chair, he remarked:

"I am Cartouche."

At these simple words the guest's rage turned to terror. Dropping his sword, he ran from the house in panic dread, leaving Cartouche in the undisputed possession of the stolen valuables.

This is but one of a hundred anecdotes that show the skill and impudence of France's most picturesque blackguard and the fear in which his very name was held. Louis Dominique Cartouche was born in Paris about 1693. He had not only a positive genius for crime, but an equal genius as a leader and organizer. He gathered about him, as a mere lad, a band of crooks whom he ruled with cruel discipline and who were taught to obey his slightest wish as though it were divine law.

He mapped Paris and its suburbs into regular districts, appointing a superintendent and regular staff of ruffians to each. He then evolved uncannily clever methods of theft and highway robbery for each of these districts until no man's life or possessions were safe. By Cartouche's perfect "system" the most daring crimes were committed in open daylight and went unpunished.

"The rich," Cartouche once declared, "live that they may be robbed. That is their one excuse for existence." He spent his wealth as rapidly as he won it. Living in magnificent style, wearing clothes and jewels such as most noblemen could not afford, he made love to women of royal birth, entertained duchesses at wonderful banquets and continued to make himself more dreaded by the public at large than was the plague itself.

"It was recorded," writes a chronicler, "that the cry, 'Here comes Cartouche,' would empty the fullest street."

But, like all others of his sort, Cartouche at last was captured. He showed no fear, when, after countless hair-breadth escapes, he found himself fast in the net of the law. He laughed at judge and jury, mercilessly taunting them, goading them to madness with stinging wit. When his death warrant was read aloud to him he halted the proceedings to point out a grammatical error in the legal paper.

For years he had baffled the police. His arrest, in 1721, was accomplished by mere chance as he sat drinking in a cafe. So shrewdly had he laid his plans that before a conviction could be secured his trial dragged on for many months and was the sensation of the whole country. He was finally condemned to a horrible death—to be "broken alive upon the wheel."

To the very last nobody believed that the wonderful Cartouche would permit himself to be executed. It was expected that, by some trick of his strange brain or by a rescue on the part of his followers, he would get away.

School for Princesses.

In Siam, so we learn from a Paris contemporary, "une dame Anglaise" runs a school for princesses. She has 15 pupils, all belonging to the royal family of Siam. In addition to being instructed in reading, writing and arithmetic the princesses are taught household management. Turn about they prepare the meals and lay and decorate the table. No person of the "sexe masculin," says our contemporary, is allowed to enter the school, for it is against the custom of the country for ladies of rank to meet youths, unless they be relations. Every Wednesday afternoon the princesses return to the palace, under the conduct of one of the ladies of the court, and they remain there until the evening.

City In Brief

John Batchelder Jr. has returned from a visit in Missouri. His father has gone to Texas while his mother will remain for a longer visit with friends in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schuler and family have engaged the Espy houseboat for a week's outing on Rock river.

—Chas. Hey's fancy home-grown plums. Prices right. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. Phone 109.

Attorney A. C. Bardwell and grand son, William Bardwell, will go to Chicago Saturday for a visit, returning Monday evening.

Former Fire Chief Wm. James of Ohio is here for a short visit with relatives.

Clinton Booth of Des Moines, Ia., who is a relative of Miss Mary Wynn, visited here last week.

WANTED. Good live boy, as bellboy, at the Dixon Inn.

Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook returned this week from a visit in Chicago.

—Clearing sale of all Summer Millinery, at M. S. Mulkins'.

Miss Goldie Risner is reported ill at her home on the Franklin Grove road.

Washington Madden of Streator was here today.

Emory Tilton of Ashton visited with his friends in this city last evening.

Ed. Guffin of Pawpaw, chairman of the republican county central committee, visited in Dixon yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Matt Docter, who has been visiting in Freeport, is expected to return home this evening.

Attorney Lloyd Davis of Chicago will spend Sunday with relatives in Dixon.

If interested in an automobile, see George Burchell, Erie, Ill.

Mrs. Nettie Norton of Boston, a cousin of Mrs. E. N. Howell, is visiting here.

White paper for pantry shelves, 1c a sheet, at this office.

George Burchell, Erie, Ill., is the agent for the Mitchell automobile. If interested see a demonstration, telephone or write him.

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When in need of engraved calling cards, visit the job department of the Telegraph office and see our beautiful new samples.

Hon. A. T. Tourtellott and wife attended the old settlers' picnic in Amboy yesterday.

Jerry Wentling is moving from the Assembly park to his home on North Galena avenue.

Earl Compton and family motored to Prophetstown yesterday.

Willard Beach left for his home in Rockford yesterday after two weeks' visit at the George Schrock home on North Galena avenue.

Mrs. I. G. Hoover, who submitted to an operation, is getting along very nicely.

BLOOMINGTON STICKS TO PAVED STREETS

Bloomington, one of the very first cities in Illinois to put down brick pavement, still continues to put down brick, having found no reason for a change of opinion regarding that paving material. Now contractors have been awarded there and the contractor will get \$1.87 per square yard.

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LOST. Black tailor made jacket between Oberhart farm and West Brooklyn. Finder please leave at M. J. Bieschke store, West Brooklyn, and receive reward.

WANTED. Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, not over 5 blocks from car line. "V." Care Telegraph.

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MOVE FROM DIXON.

C. Williams and wife and son, Osborne and wife will leave about the first of the month for Los Angeles, where they will make their future property by private sale.

BROTHER DIES.

Charles McGrail and daughter Della were called to St. Louis today on account of the death of Mr. McGrail's brother.

Ross Mowry is a new clerk at the Downing grocery store.



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Chas. Hanson of East Grove was here yesterday.

Charles Keyes Jr. returned from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson visited in Oregon yesterday.

a business trip to Chicago today.

Misses Clara and Lena Bodie of Ashton attended the institute in this city yesterday and visited with their friends.

Saturday Specials

On Saturday Aug. 24th we will place on Special Sale the following articles:

1 lot Silk Underskirts in black and changeable effects, black & blue, tan & green, blue & green, etc. These skirts are full length and measure 2 1-2 yds. at bottom. Saturday special . 1 98

1 lot Ladies' and Misses' linen crash coats in belted and semi-fitted effects. Values up to \$9 in this assortment. Saturday special . 3.98

1 lot Ladies' and Misses' Summer Dresses in linen mull, lawns & gingham. Values up to \$7.50 included in this assortment. Sat. special . 3 98

1 lot Ladies' white lawn waists. Lace and embdy. trimmed, high or low neck. Saturday special . 49c

Lot Ladies' lingerie waists, prettily trimmed with lace, embdy. and buttons. Values up to \$1.75. Saturday special . 98c

Ladies' white wash skirts; plain and trimmed models. Priced to close out at . 98c

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DEMENTTOWN

The disappointment of many who went to see the circus was compensated for by the fire.

Which is printed merely to give E. C. a chance to break into the column with the remark:

That the fire was started by the lighting of the tapir.

Whereupon he adds that the leopard changed his spots when the fierce blaze crept closer to his cage.

There is no rest for the wicked chiefly because they won't take it.

Postmaster Spinks of Goose Hollow writes that an effort is being made to change the name of the town, but that no action will be taken until Mayor Tubbs has used up the supply of printed stationery he has on hand.

A man in Sterling walked a mile to attend church. One might say, in reference to that, that he gave his sole to save his soul.

What Has Become of
Oilcloth sleeve protectors.
Brown porcelain doorknobs.
Crayon portraits.
Country butter.
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Some Improvements
Someone can win everlasting fame and a fortune by inventing any one or all of the following:
Undershirt that will not roll up under the arms.
Collar button that will not roll off the bureau.

A salad fork that will not leak and muss up the necktie.
A fountain pen that will not deposit more ink on the fingers than on the paper.

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False teeth that will not stick in taffy.

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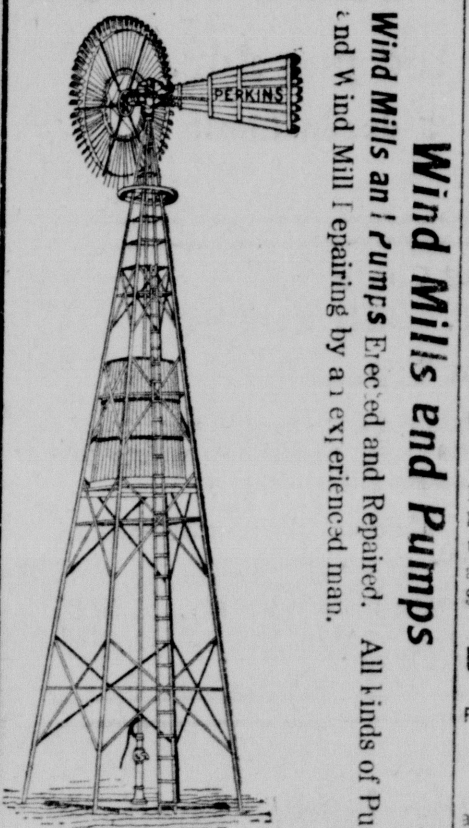
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CONGRESS PLANS TO END SESSION

Final Business Being Cleared Up; Sundry Civil Bill Carries \$121,000,000.

TAFT WINS FOR GEN. WOOD

President's Threat to Veto Army Measure Saves Chief of Staff—Army Enlistments Are Lengthened—New Agreement.

Washington, Aug. 23.—With the legislative appropriation bill ready for its third journey to the White House, prospects for adjournment are brighter and determined effort will be made in the senate and house to end the present session of congress tomorrow night.

It is believed the president will sign the legislative bill in its present form now that the house has reluctantly yielded on the commerce court provision in the measure. The breaking of the deadlock over the legislative bill operates for a more speedy adjournment.

Two conference reports were agreed to by the house. They were on the sundry civil and the army appropriation bills.

In the former the tariff board appropriation was stricken from the bill, which carries \$121,000,000, which is \$30,000,000 less than the measure of last year.

Army Enlistments Lengthened.
In the army bill the house won its point to lengthen the enlistment term from three to four years, with an additional three-year term in time of war. The clauses removing Gen. Leonard Wood from office as chief of staff, abolishing army posts and reducing the regular army by five cavalry regiments were stricken from the bill.

Under virtual notice from President Taft that he would again veto the army appropriation bill if it contained any "riders" affecting the tenure of office of General Wood, the house and senate conferees struck the clauses from the bill.

The house after a long fight passed the bill providing for the construction of a power dam across the Coosa river in Alabama.

The conferees agreed on the post office plan for good road building, and the Bourn system of parcels post with slight amendments.

Legislative Bill Delayed.
Filibustering by Culberson and Bacon in the senate delayed the legislative appropriation bill and the Borough bill creating a department of labor. Arguments on the conference on the army and Indian appropriation bills constituted the day's accomplishment.

TWO MORE INDICTED

Detectives of Becker's 'Strong Arm' Squad Are Hit.

Police Lieutenant and Four Others Arraigned—Former Asks Delay, Latter Plead Not Guilty.

New York, Aug. 23.—Indictments against Detectives James White and Charles Steinert, formerly members of Lieut. Charles Becker's "strong arm" squad, were indicted for oppression and perjury, after Becker and four indicted with him in the Rosenthal murder had been arraigned. Becker obtained a continuance until Tuesday. The others pleaded not guilty. They are Jacob Reich, alias "Jack Sullivan," "Dago Frank" Ciofeci, William Shapiro, part owner of the "gray murder car," and "Whitey" Lewis.

The indictments against Detectives White and Steinert were found after the grand jury heard "Big Jack" Zelig's story of how a revolver was "planted" in his pocket by them so that Becker might get Zelig under arrest.

District Attorney Whitman discovered \$10,000 more to the credit of Becker and his wife in several local banks. This brings the police official's total deposits to \$105,000 in less than a year, in which time his salary was \$2,250.

U. S. PLANS PHONE SUIT

Federal Authorities to Act After a Long Investigation.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—It was reported at the federal building here that orders had been issued in Washington to institute proceedings against the \$500,000,000 American Telephone & Telegraph company, on the ground that it has violated the Sherman anti-trust law. The government has been investigating the telephone organization for many months. It is said that a civil suit for dissolution of the so-called telephone trust is



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Watch for the Opening Installment

under contemplation and that it will be ordered by Attorney General Wickham.

Torbet for Jamieson's Place.
Washington, Aug. 23.—L. K. Torbet of Chicago will be appointed naval officer in the customs service at Chicago in place of T. N. Jamieson, the present incumbent, who will be removed. President Taft so informed Senator Callom of Illinois. The position carries a salary of \$5,000 a year.

CORSET COVER AS A NOOSE

Woman Makes a Strange Rope With Which to Hang Herself in Newark.

Asbury Park, N. J.—Making a noose of her corset cover, Annie Spellman, thirty years old, hanged herself in her room in the Ocean Grove home of J. P. Slattery of 50 Shanley street, Newark. She had come from Ireland less than a year ago.

The muslin rope broke after she had been hanging for some time, and when her body fell to the floor the sound alarmed Mrs. Slattery, who ran to the room and found the woman dead.

Spanked Sixty-Year-Old Daughter.
Philadelphia.—Mrs. Margaret Armstrong, eighty-four years old, has been arrested here on complaint of her daughter, Maria Dean, sixty years old, who complains that her mother persists in spanking her.

NEW CURE FOR LOCKJAW

Baltimore Physician's Treatment Successful in Nine Cases He Has Tried.

Baltimore, Md.—The survival of Bernard Myerly, nine years old, a victim of lockjaw resulting from a stone-bruise, has increased interest in the method of treatment used in the case of Dr. Pearce Kintzing. This is the ninth of a series of lockjaw cases in which Dr. Kintzing and his assistants at the Franklin Square hospital have used a new plan of treatment with success.

The Myerly boy, as well as the other victims of the disease, had serious attacks, marked by stiffness of the neck, locking of the jaws and convulsions. The remedy is a solution of phenol of ten per cent. strength, diluted to suit the cases and administered by hypodermic injections deep into the muscles.

The injections are made at intervals of about three hours at the start, with longer intervals as the patients rallied. The full adult dose used is equivalent to about one grain of pure crystalline phenol, ten drops of the ten per cent. solution. To avoid soreness, in some cases one-half of the solution diluted is injected and then the other half injected in another place.

Lives 33 Days on Water Diet.
East St. Louis, Ill.—In an effort to reduce weight, Miss Lizzie Verlin of this city has lived on a diet of cool water 33 days. June 21, when she began her fast, she weighed 211 pounds. Now she balances the scales at 192.

If T. R. Could Only See This.
New York.—Charles Knoback of Brooklyn says he has a hen that lays eggs with a watch dial designed on them and then she cackles like a clock.

PRISONER, FREE, COMES BACK

Workhouse Trusty Returns After Trip to Town for Supplies.

St. Louis, Mo.—Alexander Hunter, who still had sixteen months of a workhouse sentence to serve, is pursuing a plan of behavior which will win for him probably an early parole.

When the city authorities decided to turn Chesley Island into a farm where inebriates could be kept, its superintendent, Calvin J. White, decided to send Hunter to the farm as a trusty to supervise the work.

Hunter cheerfully accepted the task and began to build a fence. The posts having been put down, he found himself in need of a wire stretcher. Taking a boat, he rowed alone and unwatched down the river to Kimmswick, but could not find what he wanted there. He then took a train, came to St. Louis, bought the wire stretcher and returned.

"How in the world did you get here?" Superintendent White asked when he stepped off the car and went to the workhouse. "Come up on the train," Hunter answered.

"What do you want?" White asked. Hunter explained and was returned the money he had spent for car fare. He went back to the island and now reports that he has most of the wire around the new stockade put up.

Hunter was sentenced to a two years' term in the workhouse on four charges of larceny, six months on each count.

Maids "Not Gadabouts" Get Cash.
London.—Money gifts left by Isaac Duckett for maid servants who can prove long service with the same family and are not gossips or gadabouts, were distributed in the parish of St. Andrew's, Holborn, London, the other day.

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MARCUS P. WHEELER.

Marcus P. Wheeler has come and gone, but hopes to return, for he likes Dixon. I had intended to keep him a week and exhibit him to our best known and most concealed citizens. But he said that he was a wandering Jew that must "keep moving on" to meet important engagements at home. For this I am truly sorry, as I wanted him and my friends to meet.

It is a treat to be in company with Marcus P. He is serious minded, and is versed in science, politics, religion and skilled in the gentle art of fabrication. He is an accomplished story teller, as full of anecdote as Lincoln, and has a "that reminds me" to fit everything from the president of the United States down to the keeper of the dog pound. Mark Twain claimed to be the "biggest liar on earth," but he had never met Marcus P.

Hash Men never look for trouble when they start on a gum-shoe gambol, but trouble seems to be ever on their trail. Wheeler says the conductor threw him off the train in Iowa. At another place the crew would not stop the train to let him off. (Wheeler was probably in the middle of a story and they wanted to hear the end). Once a much needed dose was prevented by a widow in the next seat in front trying to captivate a man. It was a clear case of premeditated capture, because no woman would talk so long and with such smiling animation to a mere husband. The only hope for the man was that the woman's voice sounded like a car axle that needed oil. But

Marcus P. was sleepy.
Follows a story which Wheeler uses in politics:

At the republican convention that nominated Jim Blaine, a republican and a democrat got into a conversation. The republican was drunk.
"You republicans ought to nominate Blaine," asserted the democrat.

"Think so?" (hic.)
"Yes, he is your logical candidate."

"Well, (hic) why can't yuh (hic) v-vote for 'im then?"

"It's against my profession."
"Your profession? (alg) What is yer profession?"

"I am a democrat."

"Democrat! (hic) H—! That ain't no perfect name. That's a disease!"

J. A. LLOYD.

NACHUSA.

August 4—Miss Edna Mae Weyant celebrated her seventh birthday yesterday with a birthday party and about twenty-five little friends came to help her remember the day. Games of different kinds were played until lunch time, when dainty refreshments were served. Miss Edna received many little tokens in remembrance of the day.

Mrs. Jack Emmert, who lives with her son, Harry, just east of here, died very suddenly.

Mrs. Eastwood and daughter from Chicago are visiting at the Oscar Eicholtz home.

Mrs. Russel and daughter of Muscatine, Iowa, who have been guests at the George Emmert home, went to Franklin Grove yesterday to visit a short time before returning to their home.

Lee Dysart's barn was struck by lightning during the severe electrical storm Monday night. It being a cold bolt, did not cause any fire, but it did quite a little damage, by tearing the cupola partly off and the shingles in one end, running down the end of the barn right back of Mr. Dysart's driving horse, striking the ground. The horse was stunned but not hurt.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rhodes returned

today after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Crawford of Dixon.

Lou Henderson returned on last Monday, after a two weeks' vacation trip in Dakota.

Mrs. Abe Miller will leave tomorrow for an extended visit in the west.

DR. ROSE RETURNS.

Dr. H. Y. Rose, who has been attending a convention of specialists, and also taking a post-graduate course in Chicago, will arrive home tonight.

WILL VISIT WEST.

Sidney Jacobs and wife of Washington, D. C., who have been guests of Col. and Mrs. Charles H. Noble, will leave this evening for Council Bluffs, Iowa, for a ten days' visit, and later they will visit with relatives in Wisconsin, before returning to the east. Mr. Jacobs and Col. Noble attended the old settlers' picnic at Amboy.

GETS IMPORTANT POSITION.

George W. Berry, in the employ of the Illinois Central railroad company for eight years, has been named for the newly created position of superintendent of transportation.

This is an important step toward achieving greater efficiency in operation.

TEN YEARS IN AGRICULTURE.

The following figures are taken from the U. S. census abstract just issued concerning general farm crops. Comparing 1909 with 1908, corn made less than 4 per cent increase in acreage, but the amount decreased 4.3 per cent while the value of the crop increased 74 per cent. Wheat has gained a little in yield, and 79 per cent in value. Oats, increased 19 per cent in acreage, 7 per cent in yield and 91 per cent in value.

Hay and forage increased 17 per cent in acreage, 23 per cent in the amount and 70 per cent in value. Potatoes increased 25 per cent in acreage, 42 per cent in production and 69 per cent in value. Cotton increased 32 per cent in acreage, 12 per cent in production and 117 per cent in value.

In the north corn has 45 per cent of the acreage of all cereals; in the south 78 per cent, in the west but 6 per cent; wheat in the north 26 per cent, in the south 19 1-2 per cent, in the west 51 per cent; oats 22 per cent in the north and west and 7 per cent in the south.

Both corn acreage and production have decreased 2 per cent in Illinois; increased 9 per cent in Indiana, and production has decreased 11 per cent in Iowa.

SHIP REGISTERED CATTLE TO IOWA

LARABEE OF PAWPAW WILL EXHIBIT HERD OF TWELVE HEAD AT DES MOINES.

James Larabee of Pawpaw shipped twelve head of red polled cattle to Des Moines last night and will exhibit them at the Iowa state fair. At the conclusion of this fair they will be shipped to Milwaukee and exhibited at the Wisconsin state fair. Mr. Larabee will doubtless win the usual number of prizes.

ALICE RINGLING COMING TO DIXON

DAUGHTER OF CIRCUS MAGNATE WILL SUPPORT SARAH PADDEN IN "KINDLING."

Miss Alice Ringling, daughter of the famous circus magnate, the late August G. Ringling, is an important member of the cast supporting Sarah Padden in "Kindling," the important booking at the opera house on Sept. 4th.

For the past four years Miss Ringling has been a student at the University of Wisconsin, where she graduated in June. While at the university she took a prominent part in all of the leading college productions, and was considered the central figure in college dramatics. Miss Ringling not only wrote but also staged a vaudeville sketch entitled "The Prospecting Attorney," which took first place in an open collegiate competition. Later she appeared in "Wisconsin Dramatic Society" plays, under the direction of Prof. Thomas H. Dickenson, whose extensive work in the interests of the drama has received favorable comment. During the past season Miss Ringling appeared in three productions at the Davidson theatre in Milwaukee, where her talent was quickly recognized and greatly appreciated.

EXPRESS COMPANIES ARE ON ONE BASIS

ALL COMPANIES WILL USE ONE VARIETY OF BLANKS IN THE FUTURE

American Express companies today received samples of new blanks which will go into use on the first of the month, making the blanks used by the various express companies all over the United States universal and interchangeable. The blanks were gotten out under the direction of the interstate commerce commission.

Protect Customers.
The new blanks are a protection to the customers. The way bills are all made out in duplicate, the original being pasted on the package at the sending office with the amount to be collected at the receiving end, or, if the package is prepaid, the amount paid by the sender is placed upon the bill.

Help to Officials.
The new system is a great help to the officials of the various companies, inasmuch as all the blanks, all being alike, make it possible for the officials of the different transferring companies to handle packages without extra billing.

PAWPAW MAN'S HORSE WIN

HARRY HAMLIN, OWNED BY GARDNER THOMPSON, GETS FIRST MONEY.

Pawpaw Aug. 23—Gardner Thompson's horse, Harry Hamlin, driven by H. B. Farver, won the 2:13 pace at Janesville, Wis., Friday in three straight heats. Best time, 2:10 1/4. Mr. Thompson and W. W. Eddy saw the race.

FOR SATURDAY **Special Bargains in Our** **Ready-to-wear Department**

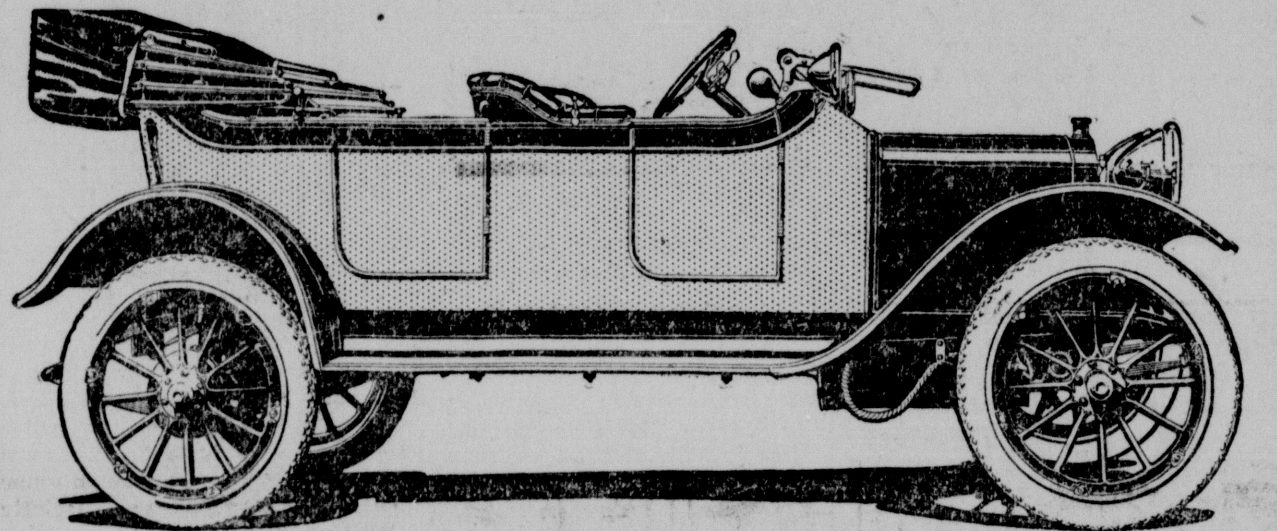
25 Ladies' Sweater Coats, values from \$2.50 to 3.50—all sizes; colors red, white, green, your choice - - - \$2.19

Our Remnant Sale is proving a success—still we have many splendid bargains in short lengths in every department and have made special attractions for Saturday.

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5 dozen Limit

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Safeguard, a guaranteed flour we offer at \$1.39 sack
12 large ginger cookies Saturday for 10c
Fine California lemons Saturday 29c doz.
4 pkg. fresh corn flakes Saturday 25c
Lard is higher. We can sell you: 10 lb. pail cottolene, you know it's good, at 12c 1b.
5 lb. pail cottolene, you know it's good, at 12 1-2c lb.
6 sheets Tanglefoot we sell for 5c
Parowax, the best seal for jellies, jams, etc., per pkg 10c
25c jar best beanut butter Saturday 19c each
6 bars Fels Naptha soap Saturday 25c
12 good drinking glasses Saturday 25c

We Have a Fine Showing of New Fall Suits and Coats. THE PALMER GARMENT IS A PERFECT GARMENT. SEE THEM. New Fall Suits JUST ARRIVED. See the Latest Types.

Only a few Summer Goods left. Our Slaughter Prices move them on short notice. Here are a few illustrations:
15c Lawns 6c yd. 25c Flaxon 12 1/2c yd. 25c tissue gingham 17c yd. \$2.25 white skirts 1.29 \$1.50 shirt waists 98c
\$1.50 parasols 79c \$3.75 Pure Linen Norfolk suits 3.98 \$3.50 Indian Head Norfolk suits 2.98

NOTICE—We are offering some Ladies' Misses' and Children's Fall Jackets very cheap. Children's Jackets \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50. Misses' Jackets \$2.50, 2.75. Ladies' \$2.75 and 3.50.

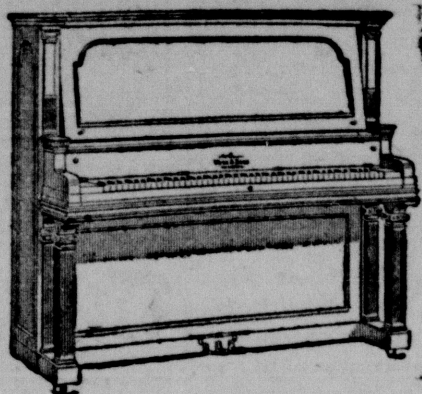
We have sold a great many oxfords at our cut prices. We offer \$1.75, 2.00, & 2.25 oxfords for ladies at \$1.25
Children's school oxfords worth 1.35 and 1.50 we offer 1.00
500 pairs children's school shoes set out on tables for you to select from.

Fresh cabbage, Saturday 2c lb.
Order tomatoes, per bu. 75c
Watermelons 25c & 30c

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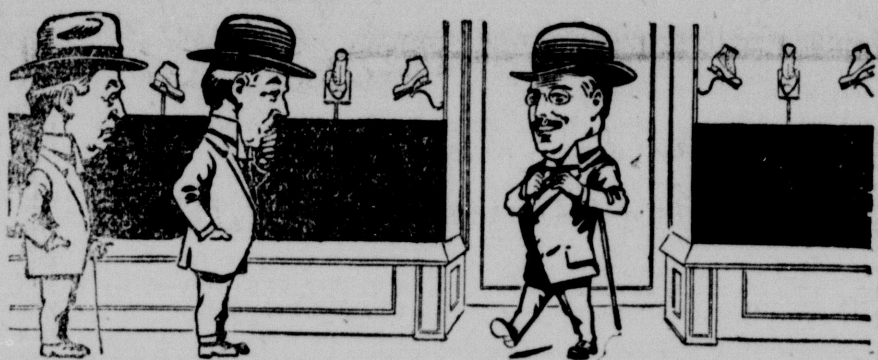
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CALL ROOSEVELT PENROSE DEMANDS

Asks Senate to Order Committee to Investigate Charges He Makes.

ARCHBOLD BEFORE COMMITTEE

Ex-President Says There Is No Occasion for Him to Testify, His Letters and Telegrams to Cortelyou Sufficient Evidence.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 23.—A hot attack upon Senator Penrose for his accusation upon the floor of the senate as to the Standard Oil's \$100,000 contribution to the Roosevelt campaign fund in 1904 was made by Colonel Roosevelt from the stage of the Armory. In fiery tones the ex-president characterized Penrose as a political cutthroat.

New York, Aug. 23.—When the statement of Senator Penrose regarding an underwriting of \$3,000,000 to capture the Republican national convention was read to George V. Perkins, he said:

"It is a preposterous statement without a word of truth in it."

Washington, Aug. 23.—After a series of conferences among the leaders in the senate, representing both the Democratic and Republican parties, Senator Boise Penrose of Pennsylvania introduced a resolution for a complete investigation of the charges against him and of the charges he himself made with respect to alleged contributions of the Standard Oil company to the Republican national campaign fund of 1904. The resolution provides for the summoning of every man named by Penrose in his speech as a witness, including John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil company, Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Flinn, Mr. Cortelyou and others.

Mr. Archbold is now in Washington and will testify before the committee late today.

Seeks Basis of Broad Resolution. At Mr. Penrose's request consideration of his resolution was put over until late today when, it is understood, Senator Reed of Missouri intends to interrogate Senator Penrose with great particularity in regard to his charges and other phases of the Republican campaign of 1904. This, the Missouri senator believes, will lay the groundwork for a broader resolution he intends to offer as an amendment to Senator Penrose's resolution.

Senator Penrose, replying to Colonel Roosevelt's assertion that he had ordered that no contribution be received from the Standard Oil company, declared that Roosevelt placed the ban on the Standard Oil contribution only after it had been received and spent.

Absurd, Says Mr. Roosevelt. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 23.—Colonel Roosevelt was asked whether he was willing to go before the senate investigating committee to testify in regard to the statements that contributions were made to the 1904 campaign by the Standard Oil company.

"The question is absurd," he said. "The letters and telegrams that passed between Mr. Cortelyou and myself are enough."

TAFT OPENED FETE TODAY

Festival Will Raise Funds for Titanic Memorial Arch.

Gloucester, Mass., Aug. 23.—Arrangements were completed for the fete to be given on the estate of John Hays Hammond at Gloucester today to raise funds to build a memorial arch in Washington to the memory of the men who went down with the Titanic. The event was one of the most notable on this north shore in years. The fete was opened by President Taft by means of a special wire from the White House at Washington. Mrs. Taft attended and was one of the patronesses.

FIRE PERILS BIG CIRCUS

Ringling Tent Burns at Sterling, Ill.—Loss Is About \$100,000.

Sterling, Ill., Aug. 23.—Sparks from a barn on fire fell on the large tent of Ringling Brothers' circus here and burned the tent. No one was hurt. The blaze started before the afternoon performance and no spectators were in the tent. The animal quarters were untouched. First reports were that hundreds of people were in panic. Loss \$100,000.

WILL EXTRADITE FLACK

Defaulting Banker of Abilene, Kan., to Return Without Struggle.

New York, Aug. 23.—With three pennies left out of \$80,000 fished through years of trusted employment in the Abilene State bank of Abilene, Kan., John A. Flack, ex-cashier of the institution, waived extradition here and will go back for trial.

Johnson-Jeanette Fight Off.

New York, Aug. 23.—Jack Johnson will not fight Joe Jeanette in New York. The state boxing commission has ruled to this effect, and Jesse and Eddie McMahon, managers of the St. Nicholas A. C., where the bout was to have been held, withdrew the match "in the interests of the sport."

Church Announcement

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

316 First St.
Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject,
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday testimony meeting at
8 p. m.

Reading rooms at 316 First St., open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. All Christian Science literature may be read and procured here.

Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Public worship at 10:45 a. m.
The pastor will preach.
No evening service.
Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

SUGAR GROVE.

Rev. Fred D. Stone will preach at Sugar Grove Sunday at 3 p. m. He will give a report of the Church and Country Life conference, held at DeKalb recently. All those interested in the Sugar Grove church cordially invited.

NACHUSA LUTHERAN.

Regular services.
Sunday school, 2:30.
Sermon, 10:30; subject, "God's Temple."

Special musical number, contralto solo, "He Careth for His Own," from St. Paul's Oratoria, by Miss Mary Shippert.

Evening services at 7:30; subject, "Two Characteristics of the Bible."

J. M. Herbst, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. 3rd and Madison Ave.
Olin F. Shaw, Minister.
People to Be Pitied, Our Duty To, will be the theme at 11 a. m.

At 7:45 p. m., "For the Children's Sake."

Sunday school at 10 a. m. and C. W. meeting at 7 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all services.

BAILEY TO PREACH.

Elwood T. Bailey will speak at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning. Sabbath school will follow the morning service.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. L. W. Wiltberger of Dover will fill the pulpit at the West Side Congregational church Sunday, both morning and evening.

SAINT LUKE'S CHURCH.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.
Morning prayer, 11:00.

SAINT PETER'S CHURCH

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
Grand Detour.
Evening prayer, 2:30.

SAINT THOMAS' CHURCH,

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
Evening prayer, 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Church service, 11 a. m.
The pastor will preach at the morning service.

The Sunday school will use their new song book, The Northfield Hymnal, spending the opening twenty minutes in a special service of song. Let all be present. No evening service.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Samuel Elwood Fisher, Minister.
We are to be very fortunate in having with us next Sunday, Rev. O. W. Winters of Creston, Iowa, and H. D. Kison of Minneapolis.
Rev. Winters will deliver the morning sermon and Mr. Kison, who is our state secretary in Minnesota will bring words of greeting.
The services should be largely attended.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The pastor, Rev. Emerson O. Bradshaw, will have charge of the services at the Baptist church Sunday.
"The Solitudes of Life" will be the subject for discussion at the morning service. "The Story of Joseph" will be told Sunday evening.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning service, 11.
Evening service, 7:30.

BABY GIRL.

A seven pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Nester of Franklin Grove today.

Miss Edna Baker of Morrison, who has been visiting in Dixon for a week returned home today.

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PROGRESSIVES PROCURE INTERVIEWS

ON POLITICAL SITUATION FROM
NUMBER OF PROMINENT CITI-
ZENS AND SUBMIT THEM FOR
PUBLICATION.

I am for Theodore Roosevelt, inasmuch as his record shows that he is able to put through measures that will be for the people's benefit. He has seen so much of life that he knows the crooks and turns of the politicians and knows how to deal with them. I think his motives cannot be questioned, and he is for the people.

Sam N. Watson.

I am heartily in favor of the Progressive movement. I am for a national, state and county ticket.

E. A. Tayman.

I am thoroughly in favor of the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt.

Frank J. Rosbrook.

I am with the Progressives to a finish.

James N. Sterling.

I am a Progressive from start to finish. The two old parties have no claims on me. The Progressive principles carry out the ideas which pertain to the government of the people by the people. I believe that all who favor the progressive doctrines should come out and say so.

Mark D. Smith.

I have always been in favor of Progressive principles and will do all in my power to push the cause to the front.

H. L. Fordham, State Committeeman
Progressive Party.

I most heartily endorse the principles set forth by the Progressive party.

Clifford Gray.

I am for the Progressives and will vote for Roosevelt.

Clyde Thompson.

I am in favor of Roosevelt for president and Funk for governor.

R. W. Thompson.

I am strictly a Progressive and am for Theodore Roosevelt.

Joe Odenthal.

I think that the republican party has lived its useful day and that the Progressive movement is bound to win out in the end. The Progressive party is for the people, while the republican party is for the favored few.

Miles Bryan.

I am Progressive and will vote the Progressive ticket.

Rev. Michael Foley.

I think that the Progressive party is going to be a party that will listen to the voice of the people.

Gordon Utley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Downing were in Sterling Thursday.

DIXON STARS HOPE TO WIN

SUNDAY'S GAME WITH FORRESTON INDEPENDENTS AT
ATHLETIC PARK.

The lineup of the Forreston Independents, who are to meet the Stars at Athletic park Sunday afternoon, is practically the same as defeated the Dixon Browns early in the season by a score of 7 to 0. Manager Whitebread of the Stars is planning to use his regular team against the visitors, who are:

Calam, c

T. Harrigan, ss

M. Harrigan, 2b

M. Kutz, cf

S. Seas, lf

Miller, rf

Grant, 3b

Hyden, 1b

Preseman, p.

CHAUTAUQUA WILL OPEN FRIDAY

SYCAMORE EVENT BEGINS THIS WEEK WITH EDWARD AMHERST OTT.

The Sycamore chautauqua opened its ten-day program this afternoon, and will come to a close Sunday, Sept. 1st.

Edward Amherst Ott is to make the lecture address Friday afternoon and Rogers & Griley are to furnish the musical features.

Already a number of tents have been erected, it is said, and if the weather continues clear they will attract big crowds of people to their program.

Mrs. E. Self and Miss Grace Byers will visit in Ashton Saturday.

DES MOINES WINS GAS SUIT

NINETY CENT RATE ORDERED BY FEDERAL COURT IN IOWA CITY.

Des Moines, Aug. 23.—A decision, whereby gas consumers of the city of Des Moines will be allowed a rate of 90 cents per thousand cubic feet, was handed down by Judge McPherson in the federal court here early today.

The municipality wins a sweeping victory in Judge McPherson's decision, which sustains the complete report of the master in chancery engaged by the city to fix the value of the holdings of the Des Moines Gas company.

The decision provides that the company shall give the 90 cent rate a three years' trial, after which another suit may be filed, to show that money is being lost, if such is the case.

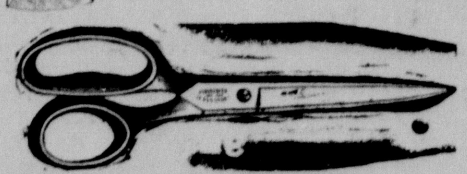
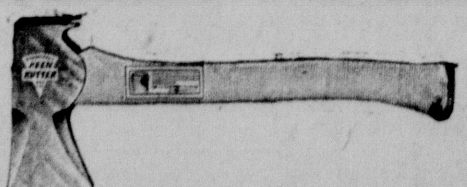
TRADE MORAL—This paper's

advertising columns are the business news of the community. If you happen to need a new parlor carpet, you will be a lot more interested in a paragraph about Jim Jones' newly painted barn. That's why everybody in this vicinity reads this paper's ads.

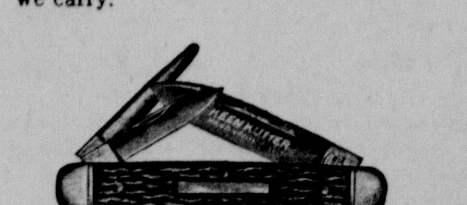
TRADE MORAL—Introducing the

buyer to the merchant is the purpose accomplished by our advertising columns. The integrity of both are vouched for.

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These are only samples of the very extensive line of Keen Kutter goods we carry.



Are the best that money and brains can produce. The prices are reasonable and your money will be paid back if not satisfied. Keen Kutter pocket knives are shown in our stock in great variety. The one shown in the cut has two blades and a leather punch. The punch will cut a clean, round hole in leather the slickest you ever saw. This is one of the best sellers we have. Price \$1.00

Keen Kutter scissors and shear are a pleasure to use. We want every lady to own a pair. If not satisfactory your money back.

Keen Kutter camp axe has a full polished head with a nail claw. The handle is 2nd growth hickory. Total length 13 inches. It's very handy tool to have.

**E. J. Dowell
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DIXON, ILLINOIS

SLAY AMERICANS IN NICARAGUA

Rebels Kill Two Who Sought Refuge in Hospital at Leon.

U. S. MARINES GUARD CAPITAL

Minister Weitzel's Dispatches to Washington Regarding Situation in Distressed Country of the Most Gloomy Description.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Minister Weitzel at Managua was instructed by the state department to investigate the deaths of two Americans, one named Phillips and the other Harvey Dodd of Kosciusko, Miss., who are reported to have been murdered by the rebels during the looting of Leon on Sunday.

Kill Americans in Hospital.

State department advices included these men among the dead and added that they had been killed while wounded and seeking refuge in a hospital. If the men were enlisted in the federal army the United States can do nothing but protest against the uncivilized manner of their death; if they were noncombatants the state department will demand reparation and recompense.

Dispatches from Corinto report that the rebels are marching victoriously through the country, taking all the small towns in their path. It is hoped that dissension in their ranks, owing to jealousies among the presidential candidates, may impede their progress until the arrival of the cruiser Denver on Sunday. The cruiser California, having on board 600 sailors and 60 marines, is expected at Corinto Tuesday, and the 750 marines from Philadelphia will arrive in Nicaragua in about ten days.

U. S. Marines Protect Capital.

In the meantime the 450 sailors and marines already in Managua will be used for the protection of the capital and foreign women and children will be removed to the Justin and Annapolis off Corinto.

Minister Weitzel's dispatches were of the most gloomy character. He says: "The situation is growing steadily worse," and proceeds with the following details:

"The consul at Corinto reports on the 18th that the rebel forces have taken towns lying between Leon and Chinandega, among which are located a large sugar estate and the central distillery, containing 5,000,000 pesos' worth of alcohol. The consul has received requests for aid from the American and foreign interests in these localities. By cable on the night of the 20th the consul reports that telegraphic communication with Chinandega has been restored and that that town was then under government control. At the request of the authorities men were landed from the Annapolis and the Justin to protect lives and property of Americans and other foreigners. Twenty-five American and other foreign women and children were taken aboard the Justin on the nights of the 18th and 19th, and 15 American citizens passed the nights of the 19th and 20th at the consulate."

Dodd Son of Mississippi Lawyer.
Jackson, Miss., Aug. 23.—Harvey Dodd, the young American reported murdered by rebels in the general massacre at Leon, Nicaragua, August 19, was the son of S. L. Dodd of Kosciusko, Miss., a prominent lawyer. Dodd was thirty-five years old.

BRIGHTON B. WINS \$6,000

Lands Big Trotting Division Purse at Grand Circuit Meet.

Rockingham Park, Salem, N. H., Aug. 25.—This was Futurity day at the grand circuit race meeting at Rockingham Park, for there were decided the three-year-old pacing and three-year-old trotting divisions of the American Horse Breeders' Futurity, valued at \$11,000. The trotting division purse, \$6,000, was won by Brighton B., Princess Todd and Sox DeForest divided second and third money. Count Daschkoff was fourth. The fastest heat was 2:12 1-2.

The pacing division purse, \$3,000, was won by Anna Axum; The Manager second, Lucy Cope third. The fastest heat was 2:23 1-2.

3 DEAD; 2 HURT IN CRASH

Freight Train Collides With Auto and Crushes Occupants.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 23.—Dr. F. W. Joslin, a Big Rapids dentist; his wife and their four-year-old son Howard were killed, his mother probably fatally injured, and his son Burr, eleven years old, slightly hurt when a freight train crashed into their automobile less than a mile from here.

Girl Kills Brother-in-Law.

Wayne Valley, Miss., Aug. 23.—Alleging that her brother-in-law, Henry C. Winter, was advancing upon her with a black snake whip in a threatening attitude, Miss Zella Sweeney, a pretty seventeen-year-old girl, opened fire on Winter inflicting wounds from the effects of which he died.

Omaha Police Chief Dead.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 23.—John J. Donahue, chief of police of Omaha, died here as a result of an operation for the amputation of his right foot which was affected with gangrene poisoning.

E. H. TENNYSON D'EYNCOURT



Mr. d'Eyncourt has just been appointed director of naval construction at the British admiralty and will superintend the building of the king's naval vessels. For twenty years he has been connected with great ship-building concerns, but he has never before held public office.

MURDER OVER TWENTY

West Hammond Investigation Reveals Score Died in Resort.

Latest Victim Is Girl From Indiana Harbor, Who Was Buried Late at Night.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—A terrible chamber of death, said to have encompassed the murders of more than twenty persons, has been discovered in West Hammond, Ind.

The fatal room, which is located in the rear of the resort operated by Henry Foss, has for the past ten years been the scene of twenty known deaths. In every case these have been sudden and unexplained.

Murder was never suspected, however, until an investigation was begun August 14, as a result of the death of John Messmaker, who was stricken while drinking in the room and died shortly afterwards in the St. Francis hospital.

The inquiry came to a startling end with the discovery that a young woman had been the latest victim of the place and had been surreptitiously removed from the room and at midnight buried in the West Hammond cemetery.

Messmaker was murdered with the injection into his blood of a poison. Needle punctures on his arm gave the first clue in the gathering of evidence. A later examination of his blood proved that a heavy amount of some deadly poison had been injected.

Messmaker's death occurred August 13, and an investigation was begun promptly. So severe was it that one of the frequenters of the place became frightened and told the story of the latest victim of the murder chamber. The informer's story was investigated, a new-made grave was opened in an obscure part of the cemetery and the body of Esther Harrison of Indiana Harbor was unearthed.

\$2,000,000 FOR A KINDNESS

Tennessee Man Years Ago Helps Tramp—Latter Wills Him Fortune.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 23.—Twenty-four years ago, on a cold winter's morning in this city, Joe Harris, then a flourishing auctioneer, gave a poor tramp, who politely tipped his hat to Harris, breakfast and profitable employment. Today at the postoffice Col. Cary F. Spence, postmaster, read Harris a letter stating that William Roberson had died recently in Brisbane, Australia, leaving his entire estate of \$2,000,000 to Harris out of consideration of the latter's kindness to him.

IGNORE LORIMER ACCOUNT

Senate Committee Make No Provisions for Ex-Senator's Expenses.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Contrary to expectations the senate committee on appropriations made no provision for former Senator Lorimer's expenses in the general deficiency bill reported. The committee which investigated Lorimer's election recommended that he receive \$35,800 to defray, in part, the cost of his defense. The attitude of the committee indicates that nothing will be done in the matter at this session.

American, Broke, Kills Self at Antwerp.

Antwerp, Belgium, Aug. 23.—An American named A. Daniels committed suicide by shooting himself at the Grand Hotel Imperial. He left a note saying: "I am stone broke. I have only one dollar left. I am suffering from Bright's disease. Bury me in the potter's field." The suicide was about twenty-six years old.

Woman Ascends Mont Blanc.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 23.—Miss Doris Keen, Philadelphia, arrived from Alaska, a passenger of the steamship Alameda, having while in the north made a successful ascent of Mont Blanc, one of the loftiest peaks of the Copper River valley.

Dick's Orphan

By Emma Ebel

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"Do I look like the guardian of a nine-year-old girl?" asked Dick Belting of his friend Gordon Amherst, as they sat together in the former's library.

Gordon favored his host with an elaborate scrutiny that included the crown of his head and swept down to his toes, and shook his own head gravely.

"If I wasn't positive that you dyed your hair, Dick, I should say 'no' at once. But being aware that beneath your carefully polished raven locks there lurks many a white and venerable hair, I will say that I believe you're old enough to have an entire orphan asylum in charge."

"She is an orphan," admitted Dick. "Brother's child?" asked Gordon.

"You know I never had a brother or sister."

"Confound it, man, tell me about it while I smoke another of your cigars." Gordon helped himself from the box and scratched a match. "It isn't a guessing game, is it?"

"No—remember Miss Wendell?" "Perfectly well. He died in Japan a short time ago—I read it in the paper."

"It's his daughter. He did a favor for me once upon a time, and I told him to command me when he needed a service in return. He's written me a letter appointing me guardian of his daughter, Elizabeth, and it was forwarded to me after his death. Her mother died long ago—nine years, the letter states. The girl arrived in New York this afternoon in care of a governess or companion. I'm to see her tomorrow." Dick tossed a sheet of paper across the table and Gordon read the feebly scratched lines with interest.

"What are you going to do with her?" he asked.

Dick shrugged his shoulders. "Going to keep her in school for ten years—by that time I shall be a set-



A Girl of Nineteen She Was.

tled old bachelor and ready to present her to society."

"Ten years from now you will be fifty years old," murmured Gordon. "You will still be good looking, Dick."

"Humph!"

"And will undoubtedly marry Miss Wendell."

"I never suspected you of romantic ideas," returned Dick dryly.

Gordon's round, fat face grew pink. "I may marry your ward myself. I'm five years younger than you are," he protested.

"She isn't an heiress—no fortune hunter need apply," teased Dick. "You need a rich wife, Gordon—you're a spender."

"It's the high cost of living," growled Mr. Amherst.

"You mean the cost of high living," Gordon laughed. "When shall I see the infant—wonder if she wouldn't like to go to the circus?"

"I'll have you around tomorrow night to take dinner with us if you like."

"All right I'll come—perhaps I can help keep her in order."

When Dick was alone he smoked several cigars before he retired. This guardianship of a young girl had introduced a new element into his quiet, comfortable, bachelor existence. He told himself reassuringly that with Elizabeth at school nine months out of the year it might make very little difference in his life, and yet there were holidays and vacations to be considered. The thought of making this unknown child happy stirred unusual warmth in the region of his heart.

He blushed unaccountably when he thought of the coming of Elizabeth Wendell. "It won't be unpleasant," he admitted as he turned out his light. "If I had married I might have had a daughter of her age—but somehow I've never felt the call."

The next day he went to the hotel where Miles Wendell's daughter was staying with her companion, a Mrs. Armstrong.

"Miss Wendell will join us at once," said Mrs. Armstrong, after she had greeted him. "She has been shopping all the morning and is rather tired."

Mr. Belting stared. "Er—yes. I suppose little girls need plenty of new frocks and so forth. I may have

to call upon you to help me out in that respect—I don't know much about fripperies."

It was Mrs. Armstrong's turn to look surprised and then amused. "Elizabeth will not take kindly to our interference," she said. "She has chosen her own clothes ever since she was ten years old."

"Oh!" stammered Dick blankly, conscious that he was talking at cross purposes with Elizabeth's companion. Deftly he changed the subject and waited for the appearance of this precocious Elizabeth, who was undoubtedly a little older than he had had reason to believe. Miles Wendell was such a careless fellow it would be just like him to forget the age of his only child.

"A few years more won't make much difference," he was thinking when the door opened and a girl entered.

A girl of nineteen she was, with small oval face framed in misty black hair; a pair of hazel eyes and a scarlet mouth that smiled at him with charming shyness.

"Elizabeth, this is your guardian, Mr. Belting," said Mrs. Armstrong demurely.

As Dick bent low over the girl's slender hand he recovered his equality.

"I was looking for a nine-year-old girl," he said with his charming smile. "I'm afraid I had relegated you to the schoolroom for ten long years."

Elizabeth laughed softly. "How dreadful when I have just bidden good-by to it forever!"

"I even contemplated selecting your clothes," went on Dick gravely.

"Horrors! You will forgive me, too; but I thought you would prove to be quite an old gentleman," blushed Elizabeth, thereby increasing her loveliness. "You see, my father's hair was white—and I thought you were his friend—and were of the same age."

"Your father was fifteen years older than I," explained Dick, rather hastily. He did not want this beautiful ward of his to look upon him as an old man. He stole a shy, anxious glance into an opposite mirror to reassure himself as to his appearance, and therein caught the amused glance of Mrs. Armstrong.

"Oh, you are years younger than my father," said Elizabeth, kindly. "Thanks," murmured Dick, and then producing the letter he had received from her father he gave it to her.

She read it with tender eyes filled with tears. "A mistake has been made," she said as she gave it back to him. "This is a letter my father must have written ten years ago, when he suffered a bad attack of heart disease and believed himself to be dying. There is a later letter written during his last illness. In the confusion following his death the lawyer, Mr. Felt-some, must have forwarded you the wrong letter. He had charge of the papers."

"I am glad," said Dick heartily, and then because he could not explain to them how glad he was he made arrangements for them to dine with him that evening and hurried away.

Gordon joined them at dinner, and his amazement at sight of Dick's charge was delightful to witness. To Dick's disgust the fat, good-natured clubman appeared more impressed with the charms of Mrs. Armstrong than with those of the beautiful girl.

"How is your orphan?" he asked Dick one day.

"I hope she is happy," returned Dick with a tender smile, "for she has just promised to marry me."

"Glorious!" cried Gordon, with a squeeze of his big hand. "We will make it a double wedding!"

"Not Mrs. Armstrong?"

"None other. Of course, I know she hasn't a son and I ought to marry money, but I'm simply gone on her, Dick, and I'll change my whole mode of life just to gain her." Then, anxiously, "Haven't you heard that it was cheaper for two to live than only one?"

"Let's all try it," said Dick soberly.

WANTED TO BE GOOD LOSER

Defeated Candidate Wanted It Understood He Was Not Complaining, but, All the Same—

John H. Lucas, general solicitor for the Metropolitan street railway, recently was accosted by a young lawyer, who warmly grasped his hand and exclaimed:

"Perhaps you do not remember me, but I once appeared as one of the opposing counsel in a case in which you were retained by the winning side, and I have often wished to express my admiration for the manner in which you handled that case."

"I suppose," said the veteran lawyer deprecatingly, "that was one of the rare occasions upon which I was not getting the worst of it."

"I'm willing to swap records with you," laughed the young man, "but tell me, does a lawyer ever get used to losing cases?"

"I can't say, sir," responded Mr. Lucas. "I really can't say, but as for myself, I am very much in the same fix as the man from Osceola who had been defeated for office. He was telling me about it, and in order to acquit himself of the charge of being a bad loser, kept interjecting the remark that he was not complaining. 'It doesn't pay to complain,' I said, agreeing with him."

"No, sir, it doesn't," he exclaimed, "and I won't complain, but at the same time I want you to understand, sir, that it makes me darned sick."—Kansas City Journal.

Good Anywhere.

Cheerfulness is the most common life-saver the world has.—Florida Times-Union.

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Mathew Maier was in town transacting business on Wednesday morning.

Martin Wigum returned to his home in Berwyn on Monday morning after a week's stay in our city.

Don't get another scare like Sunday and Monday night but call upon Henry F. & Oliver L. Gehant at once and have your property insured.

Joseph Schweigert of Pawpaw was the guest of relatives and friends in West Brooklyn on Wednesday morning.

Fred Oester and wife returned to their home in Millbrook on Monday morning after being called to our city due to the death of his father.

Frank Bresson of Viola was visiting with his many friends in West Brooklyn on Tuesday.

Michael Oester and son Lloyd left on the evening passenger Tuesday for their home in Shelton, Iowa.

John Faub was doing business in this town on Wednesday morning from his home in Lee Center township.

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The excessive rains on Sunday and Monday night, caused considerable damage down in the swamps. Much of the oats that had not been threshed was practically ruined for the water had some fields totally covered.

The early threshers were the lucky ones this year and they know how to sympathize with their unlucky brethren when they consider their narrow escape.

George Halboth of South Brooklyn was transacting business in our city on Tuesday afternoon.

The Misses Theresa Jeanguenat and Frances Craigmiles went to Dix on Monday night to attend the teacher institute being held in that city during this week.

Gerge Dinges was a business visitor in West Brooklyn on Tuesday afternoon.

Some of our citizens were up to Roxbury on Tuesday to see the big railroad wreck near the junction of the Milwaukee and Burlington roads. The big rains washed out a portion of the Milwaukee road bed and allowed one of their freight trains to tumble off into the ditch. Some say that a tramp is thought to be buried under the ruins of three coal cars for he was seen on the train before the mishap and could not be located afterward. This accident proves the fact that the rains this week were about the heaviest ever witnessed in this vicinity and were much more severe upon property than that many of the people at first thought.

G. L. Nelles was in town from Viola on business Wednesday afternoon.

F. W. Meyer is in Chicago for a few days this week where he is buying for his big store.

Mathew Maier had two horses struck by the lightning on Monday night during the storm. They were his best team. One of the animals was killed outright while the other appears to be recovering from the effects of the electricity and may get himself righted again.

Jacob Mehlbrech and wife were visitors in West Brooklyn on Wednesday from Compton.

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The schools were closed all day on Tuesday owing to the special village election. Many from out of town were not aware of the affairs going on at the village hall and attempted to enter the various parlors only to find the doors fastened.

George Kessel of Amboy visited on Tuesday at Wednesday in West Brooklyn with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Swope.

Joseph Rhoads and wife were in town from Compton doing some shopping on Wednesday.

It is better to be safe than sorry. Insure at once with Henry F. & Oliver L. Gehant at West Brooklyn, Ill.

Jacob Kessel has been busy making a barrel of wine this week. The grapes grow in abundance in his neighborhood and no one will doubt that this fruit makes excellent wine. On Wednesday night Mr. Kessel went to Amboy to visit with friends.

Fred Sandelman of Ashton made West Brooklyn a visit Wednesday afternoon.

G. L. Edwards was transacting business in this village Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Blackburn returned to her home in Harmon on Saturday evening after spending the most of the week visiting with her sisters and other friends here.

Chris Zimmerlein of South Brooklyn spent part of the day on Tuesday in our city.

Mrs. Andrew Gehant was here on business Wednesday.

Charles Wooster of Amboy was a professional visitor in West Brooklyn Wednesday.

Charles Clark of Canton, Ill., was a pleasant caller in West Brooklyn on Wednesday while he was seeing the merchants and supplying their stocks with some of those beam-dean cigars.

Miss Edna Henry, who has been at the rectory in this city for some time has decided to move to Dixon, and will make her home with her parents. We hope she likes the new location and that she can return often and visit us.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Edwards had company from Lee visiting them on Sunday.

Emmett Mettelle and Willie Biggart visited with friends in Freeport for a couple of days this week.

The village election on Tuesday developed into a very one sided affair. The vote stood 46 to 4 that the new era be taken into the corporation so that after some of the edges are lopped off we can boast of a rectangular shaped village for the first time in our history. At the time of our incorporation West Brooklyn constituted one of the most weird and worst shaped corporations that the sun ever shone on. It ran every and any way just to enable the interested ones in securing the charter of incorporation. As soon as we began growing little pieces on the outskirts were knocked off until now we have gathered enough people to permit the official to cut it all off except in the immediate vicinity of town. If the pupils at school were to draw the outline of the village of West Brooklyn from now on all they would need to do is draw four straight lines keeping two parallel and two at right angles to each other and join them and they would have their work done. Perhaps it is this idea that urged the village council to go to the expense of changing the boundaries at this time.

Messrs. A. E. Derr, Leslie Derr, A. B. McCrea, Frank Knauer and Owen McMahon went to Chicago on Sunday where they witnessed the baseball game between the Chicago Cubs and the Philadelphia team. The boys pronounce the game a good one and have great respect for the playing abilities of the members of both of the teams.

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Wayne Smith returned home on Tuesday night from Savanna, this state, where he had been visiting with the family of F. E. Stiles for a week.

Arthur Oester is in Millbrook this week visiting with his uncle Fred and wife.

Letter heads and bill heads at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Rhine Miller of Amboy spent the day on Wednesday in West Brooklyn with his old friends and neighbors.

The village council held a meeting in the city hall on Tuesday night to canvass the election returns for the day. They also attended to various other minor details regarding the village.

Mrs. Josie Harris returned to her home in Rockford on Wednesday afternoon, after spending a couple of weeks in our town with friends and relatives.

Joseph P. Sondgeroth had the misfortune to lose one of his best horses on Monday afternoon. The animal was suffering with lung fever, and this malady was the cause of its death. Mr. Sondgeroth carries live stock insurance with the agency in West Brooklyn, so his loss is quite easy to bear.

On last Sunday afternoon robbers broke into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr west of town and relieved the home of part of its contents. They took some valuables belonging to the family and also a few articles from the room of their hired hand, George Harris. In all they apparently wanted to be well protected so helped themselves to two revolvers. One was Mr. Barr's and the other belonged to Mr. Harris. They secured entrance by forcing in one of the windows.

Mesdames Ida Graf and Lyda Knauer have gone to Rockford for a week's visit with the Thomas Harris family.

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DELIVERANCE TO THE CAPTIVES. Luke iv, 16-30—Aug. 25.

"He came unto His own, and they that were His own received Him not."—John 1, 11.

THE people of Nazareth would of course feel a certain sense of pride in their fellow-citizen whose fame was spreading throughout all Galilee and Judea.

They could scarcely believe what they had heard about Jesus. He never did such miracles in all the years that we knew Him, said they. They did not, of course, understand that He had received His power as a special benediction when He was thirty years of age, as a result of His consecration of His life to the Divine service, symbolized by His immersion in Jordan.

At length He came to Nazareth. It was on a Sabbath day. For long years He had done the congregational reading of the Scriptures.

This was therefore just what they expected Him to do on His return. He went into the synagogue and read the lesson for the day.

Thus far all went well; but when Jesus began to comment there were whisperings of disapproval, and finally an outburst of wrath against Him. Ah! they thought, this young man has lost His head.

They drove Him out of the synagogue with angry demonstrations. They led the way toward the brow of a hill, that they might push Him over. For a little way Jesus went, but then He turned and passed through their midst, overawing them by the dignity of His presence.

The Truth That Angered. At first we read, "All bare Him witness, and wondered at the gracious words that proceeded out of His mouth." What made the change? It was the plain declaration that they did not believe in Him fully, therefore it would not be God's will that He should perform any miracles for them. He backed up His statement with illustrations from the past which angered them still more.

Instead of the people of Nazareth getting angry and resenting these things, they should have said, Tell us, then, of our faults and help us to overcome them. If God has blessings, surely we, as Israelites, may have our share if we will but come into the right attitude of heart.

The Lesson From Isaiah. The lesson for that Sabbath was from Isaiah lxi, 1-3. It was an excellent text, and the sermon on it was from the able

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Corn	68@71
BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS FURNISHED BY C. F. HER- RICK—SHAW BLDG. C. D. Anderson, Local Manager Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade: Chicago, Aug. 23, 1912.	
Wheat	
Sept	94 1/4 94 1/4 93 5/8 93 3/4
Dec	93 3/4 93 3/4 93 3/8 93 1/4
May	97 3/4 97 3/4 96 3/4 96 1/2
Corn	
Sept	73 1/4 74 71 3/4 72 3/4
Dec	55 55 53 3/4 54
May	53 54 53 53 1/2 53 1/2
Oats	
Sept	32 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/8 32 3/4
Dec	33 3/4 33 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/4
May	35 3/4 35 3/4 34 3/4 34 3/4
Pork	
Sept	1790 1795 1787 1787
Oct	1800 1805 1797 1797
Lard	
Sept	1085 1095 1082 1095
Oct	1095 1105 1092 1105
Rib	
Sept	1095 1095 1090 1092
Oct	1095 1097 1092S 1097
Hogs open strong to 5c higher.	
Left over—6147.	
Light—815@875.	
Mixed—795@870.	
Heavy—785@865.	
Rough—785@805.	
Cattle dull and steady.	
Sheep strong to 10c higher.	
Receipts Today—	
Hogs—8000.	
Cattle—1500.	
Sheep—8000.	
Hogs close 5 to 10c higher on choice grades. Others steady.	

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ern house. Small house preferred.
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ed to a gold chain. Finder please
return to John Thome or this office.
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Mr. Kellogg, former special assist-
ant attorney general, is to deliver the
annual address before the American
Bar association at its meeting in Mil-
waukee next week. His subject will
be "New Nationalism."

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
Club	W. L. P. C.
Boston	72 45 363
Washington	72 45 363
Philadelphia	69 46 360
Chicago	58 55 351
New York	78 33 370
Chicago	77 38 364
Pittsburgh	67 45 358
Philadelphia	54 57 348
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Minneapolis	86 47 347
Columbus	84 49 332
Toledo	77 54 328
Milwaukee	63 67 318
WESTERN LEAGUE.	
Denver	73 31 350
St. Joe	70 35 346
Omaha	69 35 347
D. Moines	61 39 304
THREE EYE LEAGUE.	
Springfield	72 32 350
Dubuque	63 47 312
Quincy	56 55 300
Danville	53 54 295
CENTRAL LEAGUE.	
E. Wayne	71 46 307
Yestown	67 49 308
Springfield	64 51 307
Dayton	64 52 307
Wheeling	58 55 312
CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.	
Ottawa	70 45 310
Kewanee	69 48 309
Yestown	67 49 308
Springfield	64 51 307
Dayton	64 52 307
Wheeling	58 55 312
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.	
Oshkosh	66 42 311
Racine	63 41 308
Appleton	62 42 307
Wausau	55 55 290
Scores of Thursday's Games.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
New York, 4; Chicago, 9.	
Boston, 9; Cleveland, 9.	
Washington, 6; Detroit, 9.	
Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 1 (first game).	
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1 (second game).	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Chicago, 17; Boston, 5.	
St. Louis, 8; Brooklyn, 9.	
Cincinnati, 1; Philadelphia, 3.	
Pittsburgh, 3; New York, 2 (first game).	
Pittsburgh, 6; New York, 8 (second game).	
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	
Minneapolis, 3; Toledo, 2.	
St. Paul, 4; Columbus, 2.	
Milwaukee, 2; Louisville, 8.	
Kansas City, 6; Indianapolis, 12.	
WESTERN LEAGUE.	
Wichita, 1; Omaha, 11.	
Denver, 4; Des Moines, 2.	
Sioux City, 6; Lincoln, 5 (first game).	
Sioux City, 4; Lincoln, 7 (second game).	
St. Joe, 2; Topeka, 3 (first game); St. Joe, 1; Topeka, 5 (second game).	
THREE EYE LEAGUE.	
Bloomington, 10; Davenport, 4.	
Danville, 3; Dubuque, 1 (seven innings, called; rain).	
Peoria, 13; Decatur, 8.	
Quincy, 1; Springfield, 4 (first game); Quincy, 2; Springfield, 4 (second game).	
CENTRAL LEAGUE.	
No games scheduled.	
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.	
Madison, 9; Appleton, 7.	
Madison, 7; Green Bay, 2.	
Wausau, 4; Racine, 3.	
Oshkosh, 4; Rockford, 2.	
CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.	
Burlington, 5; Hannibal, 8.	
Monmouth, 2; Keokuk, 8.	
Ottawa, 6; Kewanee, 8.	
Muscatine, 6; Galesburg, 7.	

"KID" M'COY IS RELEASED

American Boxer, Held in Larceny
Case, Discharged From Custody.

London, England, Aug. 23.—"Kid"
McCoey (Norman Selby), the American
boxer, was discharged from custody
by the magistrate of the extradition
court at Bow street here. He was ar-
rested July 26 on a provisional war-
rant charging him with larceny al-
leged to have been committed at Os-
tend. The proceedings were taken
at the instigation of the Belgian legation.

Discovers Foot and Mouth Disease.
Philadelphia, Aug. 23.—A Paris dis-
patch says that a veterinary specialist
from Pas de Calais has discovered a
remedy for the foot and mouth dis-
ease, which has recently made serious
inroads on cattle in France and Eng-
land. Official trials of the remedy
will be made by the government.

Mrs. Bingham Dies of Injuries.
Ogdensburg, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Mrs.
Marguerite Bingham of Chicago,
widow of Gen. Judson D. Bingham,
died at Coburg from injuries received
recently when she fell from a second-
story window of the Columbia hotel.

CONGRESS NEAR END

LEADERS PLAN FOR ADJOURN-
MENT SATURDAY NIGHT.

Final Business Being Cleared Up—
Sundry Civil Bill Carries \$121,-
000,000—Taft Wins for Wood.

Washington, Aug. 23.—With the leg-
islative appropriation bill ready for
its third journey to the White House,
prospects for adjournment are bright-
er and a determined effort will be
made in the senate and house to end
the present session of congress Sat-
urday night.

Two conference reports were agreed
to by the house. They were on the
sundry civil bill and the army appropri-
ation bills.

In the former the tariff board approp-
riation was stricken from the bill,
which carried \$121,000,000, which is
\$30,000,000 less than the measure of
last year.

In the army bill the house won its
point to lengthen the enlistment term
from three to four years, with an addi-
tional three-year term in time of war.
The clauses removing Gen. Leonard
Wood from office as chief of staff, abol-
ishing army posts and reducing regu-
lar army by five cavalry regiments
were stricken from the bill.

Under virtual notice from President
Taft that he would again veto the
army appropriation bill if it contained
any "riders" affecting the tenure of
office of General Wood, the house and
senate conferees struck the clauses
from the bill.

President Taft vetoed the army bill
a few weeks ago because it contained
a provision to legislate General Wood
out of his office on March 4.

RUSSIAN SEAMEN IN MUTINY

One Military Transport Scuttled, An-
other Captured—St. Petersburg
Rush Fleet to Scene.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—The Rus-
sian Black Sea fleet left here under
forced draft for Nicolaev following the
receipt of dispatches stating that
seamen, in open mutiny, had scuttled
the military transport Cagulu and had
captured another transport which they
threatened with the same fate.

Tashkent, Asiatic Russia, Aug. 23.—
Fifteen Russian non-commissioned of-
ficers were sentenced to be hanged
here on charges of mutiny after a
trial at which 228 officers were ac-
cused. Seven were acquitted and 206
sent to jail for long terms.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc., Chicago, Aug. 22.
WHEAT—Open—High—Low—Close.
Sept. 109 1/4 109 1/4 109 1/4 109 1/4
Dec. 108 3/4 108 3/4 108 3/4 108 3/4
May 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2
CORN—Sept. 73 1/4 73 1/4 73 1/4 73 1/4
Dec. 55 55 55 55
May 53 54 53 54
OATS—Sept. 32 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/4
Dec. 33 3/4 33 3/4 33 3/4 33 3/4
May 35 3/4 35 3/4 35 3/4 35 3/4
RICE—Sept. 10 10 10 10
Dec. 10 10 10 10
May 10 10 10 10
SUGAR—Sept. 12 12 12 12
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COFFEE—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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TEA—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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SPICES—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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CATTLE—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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PORK—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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LARD—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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BUTTER—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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EGGS—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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HONEY—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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SOAP—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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CANDLES—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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TALLOW—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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WAX—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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GLASS—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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IRON—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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STEEL—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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COPPER—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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SILVER—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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GOLD—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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CURRENCY—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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COMMODITIES—Sept. 15 15 15 15
Dec. 15 15 15 15
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FUTURES—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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May 15 15 15 15
STOCKS—Sept. 15 15 15 15
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BONDS—Sept. 15 15 15 15
Dec. 15 15 15 15
May 15 15 15 15
REAL ESTATE—Sept. 15 15 15 15
Dec. 15 15 15 15
May 15 15 15 15
MISCELLANEOUS—Sept. 15 15 15 15
Dec. 15 15 15 15
May 15 15 15 15

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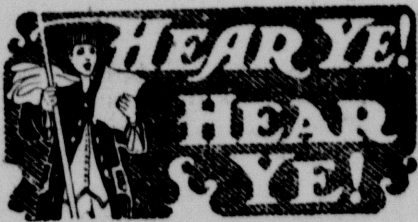
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KISSES WIFE, KILLS SELF

Ross Cable of Fairfield, Celebrating Birth of Baby Boy, Commits Suicide by Taking Carbolic Acid.

Fairfield, Aug. 23.—Ross Cable, twenty-four years old, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He had kissed his daughter good-by and his wife, who had that morning given birth to a boy, and, walking into the kitchen, swallowed the acid. He left a note in which he said that his brother-in-law never would get mad at him any more. Cable had been hilariously celebrating the birth of his new heir just before he killed himself.

Two Are Killed in Duel.

Herrin, Aug. 23.—In a quarrel here between Tom Guffy and his wife, Guffy and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Floher, who interceded, were shot and killed. Guffy called at his mother-in-law's home where his wife, who had left him a month ago, was living and, calling her to the gate, told her he had come to kill the entire family. Mrs. Floher ran toward the house and her husband pulled a revolver and fired at her, but his aim was poor and she was unhurt. Mrs. Floher, who was in a front room, grabbed a revolver and fired at Guffy, who rushed into the cottage. Guffy and Mrs. Floher exchanged eleven shots, one entering the woman's heart. Six bullets struck Guffy. Guffy reeled from the house and fell dead near the gate. He was forty-four years old, a miner, and president of the union at Colville.

Air Passenger Line Is Ready.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Aerial passenger service is the latest "thriller" promised to Chicagoans. Any person possessing \$25 and the desire to navigate the air may step into the passenger compartment of a huge dirigible balloon and enjoy a trip over the city or to surrounding towns. The passenger-carrying dirigible, said to be the only one of its kind in existence, will be commanded by Capt. H. B. Wild. A "balloon-house" and aerial passenger station has been erected at East Sixty-third street and South Park avenue, and from here the air craft will make its initial trip.

Chicago Pastor to Danville.

Danville, Aug. 23.—Rev. George H. Simondson, pastor of the Campbell Avenue Presbyterian church, Chicago, wired his acceptance of tender of pastorate to the First Presbyterian, leading church of Danville, following a unanimous vote of the congregation. He will take charge next Sunday. Rev. Simondson was selected from a list of twenty pastors and was one of fifteen who preached here during the past six months, following the departure of Rev. H. H. Shawhan for the Kansas City pastorate.

Boy Drowns in Dredge Ditch.

Charleston, Aug. 23.—Charles Floyd, seventeen years old, was drowned near here in a dredge ditch, in which he was bathing with companions. He was an expert swimmer and it is thought he was seized with cramps. His companions, who were unable to assist him, ran for help, but when they returned he had sunk. The body was recovered.

Says Liquor Increases Living Cost. Sharnsburg, Aug. 23.—Eugene W. Chaffin, prohibition candidate for president, speaking at the Sharnsburg Chautauqua, asserted that use of alcoholic liquor is increasing the cost of living by pounding down the efficiency of American men, and imposing upon the community millions of dollars of waste.

Providence for City Public Market.

Joliet, Aug. 23.—Joliet's municipal government will open a public market. Farmers and truck gardeners have been asked to bring their products to an open square in the rear of the city hall. Later on, when the weather becomes colder, the market will be placed inside.

Minister Injured by Horse.

Joliet, Aug. 23.—Rev. J. Villars, chaplain of the penitentiary, was struck down and dragged thirty feet by a runaway horse at New Lenox. He was picked up unconscious and will be under the physician's care for several days.

Body of Man Found in River.

Cauro, Aug. 23.—The body of W. Wehbie, the Cauro merchant who was missing for several days, was found in the Mississippi river at Hickman, Ky. There was no indication about the body to show Wehbie had been murdered.

Rain Helps Illinois Crops.

Ridgway, Aug. 23.—One of the heaviest rains in months fell here. The streets were flooded. Growing corn is greatly benefited and pastures revived. This rain will insure at least a two-thirds crop.

Removes Many Gall Stones.

Rockford, Ill., Aug. 23.—Mrs. Will Paul of Brookville, Ogle county, submitted to an operation for gall stones, in which 473, ranging in size from grape seed to hickory nuts, were removed.

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State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1912.

Mary A. Brookner vs. George K. Brookner.—In Chancery. Gen. No. 2972.

Affidavit of non-residence of George K. Brookner having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the Complainant filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 16th day of August, 1912, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the Third Monday of the month of September, A. D. 1912, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

WM. B. McMAHAN, Clerk.
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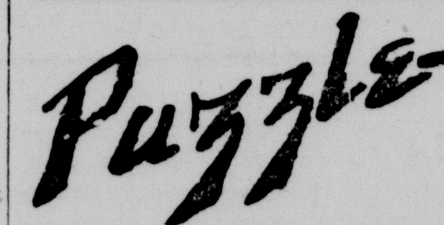
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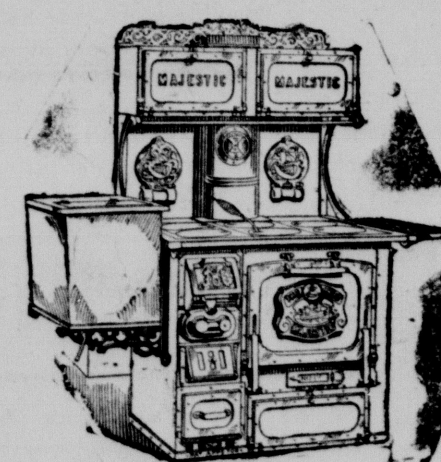
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